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JOHN W. MYERS SUICIDED

HE TOOK POISON AT 5 O'CLOCK
P. M. YESTERDAY, AT 1317
EAST FIFTH STREET.

THE END CAME THIRTY MINUTES LATER

Was 79 Years of Age, and Had Con-
ducted a Blacksmith Shop in
Smithton—Died at Home
of a Son in Sedalia.

John W. Myers, 79 years old, swal-
lowed a quantity of strychnine with
suicidal intent at the home of his
son, H. J. Myers, a Missouri Pacific
boilermaker, 1317 East Fifth street,
at 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, and
died thirty minutes later.

His mind had been unbalanced for
some time, and to this fact is attrib-
uted his deed.

Myers for a long term of years con-
ducted a blacksmith shop at Smith-
ton, retiring from business several
years ago, owing to feebleness. For
three years past he has resided with
his son here.

Many times during the last few
years, and even in earlier life, he had
remarked that some day he would
commit suicide, but his relatives did
not heed his threat.

Thursday afternoon, shortly after 5
o'clock, he told members of his fam-
ily that he had swallowed poison. He
also complained of being ill.

Dr. Morley was summoned at once,
but when he arrived Mr. Myers was
dead.

An investigation by the physician
revealed that strychnine had been tak-
en, but the coroner decided an in-
quest was unnecessary.

Mr. Myers would have been 79
years old next March. Besides the
son at whose home he expired he
leaves three children, as follows:

Mrs. Anna Bohon, Smithton; Mrs.
Cora Burgomaster, Smithton; Mrs.
J. J. Nowlin, Kansas City. He also
leaves a brother, Samuel Myers, of
Galion, O.

Rev. F. S. Berge will conduct fu-
neral services at the Methodist
church at Smithton at 11 o'clock Sun-
day morning, and burial will be made
in the Smithton cemetery.

ARREST OF A DESERTER

Says He Is Also Wanted in New York
City for Rape.

Elijah A. Davis, who has been em-
ployed in the Missouri Pacific boiler-
making department and making his
home with his brother, Isaac A. Davis,
1404 East Fourth street, was arrested
by Chief of Police Boult today,
charged with being a deserter from
the United States navy on December
31, 1907.

He is now lodged in quarters in the
city jail, awaiting his return to mili-
tary authorities at Fort Leavenworth,
Kas., where a reward of \$50 will be
paid for his capture.

In addition to the charge of being
a deserter, Davis, according to his
own confession, given voluntarily, is
also wanted in New York for rape.
There is a reward of \$500 for him
there. The offense was committed in
January, 1908, so he says, and on this
account he deserted the navy.

Davis formerly lived at 1226 Simp-
son street, New York city, and de-
serted from Ft. Wadsworth, Rose-
bank, N. Y.

TRIED TO SELL TICKET

It Was Given to Him By the Board of
Charities.

A stranger, whose name is un-
known, is occupying quarters in the
city jail, having been arrested by Of-
ficers Wood and Bailey this afternoon
for attempting to dispose of a charity
ticket to Nevada, given him by the
secretary of the Associated Board of
Charities today.

The stranger pretended to be ill
with pneumonia, and by strategy se-
cured the ticket, which he later tried
to sell to a local saloonkeeper.

FOUND \$800 IN STOCKING

Was Searching for Footwear to Put
on a Corpse.

Findlay, Ohio, Jan. 22.—Last night
while Mrs. Charles Karst was hunting
a pair of stockings in preparing the
body of Mrs. George W. Hemminger

for burial she found a pair in what
was supposed to be an abandoned
bureau drawer, containing \$800 in
bills.

Mrs. Hemminger had been married
four times, the last time just about
one week ago, and the new husband
has laid claim to the money and asked
that his wife's will be read before
the body is buried.

The Elks' Social Session.

Sedalia lodge No. 125, B. P. O. E.,
will hold a ladies' social session at
the club rooms next Tuesday night,
and among the principal numbers on
the program will be specialties by
"The Brownie Girl"—A pseudonym
for Miss Elsie Brown, of Chicago, who
is reputed to be a very versatile en-
tertainer.

WILL WED AT HIGH NOON

MR. JAMES J. NEELY AND MISS
EDNA HUNICKE TO BE UN-
ITED IN WEDLOCK.

REV. FR. B. R. M'NAMEE WILL OFFICIATE

Bridal Couple Will Leave at 2:30 P.
M. Tomorrow Afternoon for Colo-
rado—At Home Here After-
the 1st of February.

James J. Neely, chief clerk for E.
M. Dennis, Missouri Pacific trainmas-
ter, and Miss Edna Hunicke, one of
the pretty and accomplished daugh-
ters of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Hunicke,
will be united in marriage at the pa-
rochial residence of St. Patrick's Ro-
man Catholic church, on East Fourth
street, at high noon tomorrow.

The pastor, the Rev. Fr. B. R. Mc-
Namee, will perform the ceremony.
There will be no attendants. Imme-
diately after the event is solemnized
the bridal couple will proceed to the
bride's home, 1009 East Broadway,
where immediate relatives of the con-
tracting parties will partake of a wed-
ding repast.

The bridal couple will leave at 2:30
o'clock tomorrow afternoon for a
week's visit at Pueblo, Denver, and
other points in the Centennial state,
and will be at home to friends at
apartments at 401 West Seventh
street after February 1.

Mr. Neely is the youngest son of
Mrs. Mary A. Neely, of East Seventh
street, and, like his bride-to-be, has
hundreds of friends, who will take
pleasure in extending hearty congrat-
ulations that both may enjoy a long
life of wedded bliss.

DOUBLE WEDDING TODAY

Judge Hoffman Said Ceremonies at
the Court House.

A double wedding was solemnized
by Circuit Judge Louis Hoffman at
the court house at 11 o'clock this
morning, the principals being from
Warrensburg and Leeton.

Benjamin F. Burford, a farmer of
near Warrensburg, and son of Mr. and
Mrs. W. S. Burford, and Miss Alice E.
Cox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R.
Cox, of Leeton, were the first couple.

After the solemnization of the first
ceremony, E. C. Gauchat, a farmer of
Leeton, and son of Mrs. Catherine
Gauchat, and Miss Emma Florence
Burford, the latter a sister of the first
bridegroom, were united in marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Burford will spend
three weeks visiting friends in this
territory and will then go to Here-
ford, Texas, to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Gauchat will make
their home at Leeton.

"DODE" HUBBARD IS OUT

She Gave a Bond of \$300 Pending
Appeal of Case.

"Dode" Hubbard, who on January 6
was found guilty by a jury in criminal
court of having stolen over \$80 from
S. C. Scarlett, an inmate of the Con-
federate home at Higginsville, while
Scarlett was in this city, was re-
leased on an \$800 bond by Circuit
Judge Hoffman today, pending an ap-
peal to the supreme court.

A. J. Adams, 218 West Johnson
street, a carpenter, and Jesse Jen-
nings, the prisoner's father, signed
the bond.

Adams testified that he is the owner
of eighteen houses in Sedalia, and
also owns seven lots.

"Dode's" punishment was fixed at
two years in the penitentiary.

ROBBING THE WATCH DOG OF ITS BARK



SEDALIA LOSES PASTOR

THE REV. C. M. TRUEX ACCEPTS
A CALL TO ST. JOSEPH IN
THIS STATE.

GOES TO PATEE PARK BAPTIST CHURCH

He Is a Graduate of William Jewell
College and of the Southern
Baptist Theological Sem-
inary at Louisville.

The Rev. C. M. Truex, of Sedalia,
formerly pastor of the Baptist church
at Clinton, Mo., has accepted the call
of the Patee Park Baptist church at
St. Joseph, Mo., and will enter upon
his duties January 31, according to
announcement made Wednesday night
at the prayer meeting in the church.

In a few appreciative words Mr.
Truex thanked the congregation for
the call, and E. B. Griffin responded,
expressing the pleasure of the church
at his acceptance and assuring
him friendly co-operation. Resolu-
tions of acceptance were adopted by
the official board.

The members of the Patee Park
church are happy over the fact that
they have secured a pastor no less
than a month after the resignation
of the Rev. J. E. Hampton, who has
removed to Moberly, says the St. Jo-
seph News-Press.

Mr. Truex is a graduate of William
Jewell college at Liberty, Mo., and
of the Southern Baptist Theological
seminary at Louisville, Ky. In a pas-
torate of seven years at Clinton he
has been successful in increasing the
membership at the church was large-
ly increased and became one of the
best trained and efficient bodies in
the state. The Sunday school and
the B. Y. P. U. were equal to the
best. He was married December 23,
last, to Miss Madge Nicholson, at
Lexington, Mo. His bride is an ac-
complished young woman and a suc-
cessful Christian worker. She is sec-
retary of the junior department of
the state B. Y. P. U.

With two such noble workers in
Patee Park's field, it is expected that
the church will occupy a place in the
very front rank of Baptist churches
in the state.

IS ARGUING THE CASE

Gov. Hadley This Morning Took Up
State's Side of Rate Controversy.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—Governor
Hadley made the principal argument
today for the state in the Mis-
souri rate cases, in which eighteen
railroads of the state are fighting the

2-cent passenger and the maximum freight rate laws.

Judge O. M. Spencer, of St. Joseph,
Mo., general solicitor for the Burling-
ton system, made the leading argu-
ment for the railroads.

Governor Hadley, for Missouri, as-
serted that the proposed freight
rates were reasonable, and that if
the railroads would stop discrimina-
ting they could easily comply with the
2-cent law. Judge Spencer declared
the laws under consideration, on
their face, refuted the legal presump-
tion in their favor that they were
framed after due consideration. The
laws, he declared, came about as the
result of political conditions and not
from any public demand or public
necessity.

GAVE HADLEY A PICTURE

ATTORNEY PRESENTED GOVER-
NOR WITH ENLARGED COPY
OF FAMOUS CARTOON.

IT WAS OF "THE MYSTERIOUS STRANGER"

Gift From the Artist Who
Achieved Fame When He
First Gave It to the
World.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—An unusual
incident took place in the United
States district court room here to-
day, when Gardner Lathrop, general
solicitor for the Santa Fe railroad,
presented to Governor Herbert S.
Hadley a large sized picture of "The
Mysterious Stranger," a gift from
John T. McCutcheon, illustrator for
the Chicago Tribune, who first made
famous in that cartoon the phras-
es after the election of William S. War-
ner to the United States senate.

The presentation was made just af-
ter Governor Hadley had concluded
his argument before Judge Smith
McPherson in the rate cases, where
in eighteen Missouri railroads are
fighting against the enforcement of
the Missouri 2-cent rate and maxi-
mum freight rate laws. The court
room was crowded and the governor
was heartily cheered when he ac-
cepted the gift.

STOPPED IN TWELFTH ROUND

Management Thought Kenny Knight
Match Was Brutal.

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 22.—The
fight between Eddie Kenny, of Cal-
cago, and Phil Knight, of Kansas City,
was stopped in the twelfth round last
night by the management, on the
ground that it was becoming brutal.
The fight was easily in Knight's favor.

CLAIMS IT MEANS GRAFT

DR. J. F. CALLEN TALKS ON PRO-
HIBITION AS HE SEES IT
IN KANSAS.

ADDRESS BEFORE MODEL LICENSE LEAGUE

Says Prohibition Does Not Mean Tem-
perance, but Lawlessness In-
stead—President Gilmore
Also Gives Views.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 22.—National
regulation of the liquor traffic was
urged by Dr. J. F. Callen, of Pitts-
burg, Kan., a speaker at the conven-
tion of the Model License league to-
day.

"The liquor question," the speaker
said, "belongs in politics, it has the
same right there that the tariff ques-
tion has; it is a national question, not
a question that can be determined in
a vestry meeting or even in one state
legislature, and it should be govern-
ed and regulated from the head of
the nation.

"The United States owns every
drop of liquor and beer in the country
today. There is not a distiller in the
state of Kentucky, or any other state,
that dares to make a present of a
gallon of whisky today, that cost him
to make and store 25 cents, unless he
first passes Uncle Sam \$1.10, and the
state or states that set up laws to
prohibit the sale of this product are
in a measure boycotting, not only a
product of the government, but a
product that paid in the forty years
after the Civil war over 57 percent
of the entire cost of the war, or, in
other words, 83 percent of the com-
bined cost of the navy and pension
departments.

"If the federal government needs
the revenue it collects from liquor,
it should lend its protection to the
man who dispenses the product and
who pays the government tax.

"Prohibition is not a temperance
movement as applied to the sale and
use of stimulants. Prohibition move-
ments seek to wipe out the legal sale
of all alcoholic stimulants and bev-
erages—that is, if we are to believe
the advocates of the cause who are
stumping the country. But prohibition
does not mean that out in Kansas,
where I live, Prohibition out there
means graft. The prohibition law out
there is the power that upholds graft
and enables dishonest officials to
play fast and loose with the 'joint-
ists.'

"I believe state-wide prohibition
would never be mentioned if it were
generally understood by our people
that prohibition is but the name for
a law that takes the sale of liquor

out of responsible hands and places
it in the hands of men who are de-
perate enough to defy the law; that
instead of protecting the young from
the temptation to drink, brings the
vildest decoctions to the very shadows
of the homes; that there is no way
to protect the youth from the influ-
ence of the bootlegger, who is here
today and there tomorrow, who has
no responsibility, and whose only
aim, like that of many of his more
respectable brothers, is money, only
money.

"It should be generally understood
that the quantity of liquor consumed
is as great, or greater, in a prohibi-
tion state than in others; that there
is no regulation of the sales or of the
quantities sold, no revenue to the
state from such sales in prohibition
states, and that often the prosecutor

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MR. GMELICH GAINED 160

IN THE RECOUNT FOR LIEUTEN-
ANT GOVERNOR UP TO 6
P. M. THURSDAY.

183 BALLOTS ARE HELD IN ABEYANCE

The Committee Yesterday Rejected
344 Ballots, and 260 Bal-
lots Showed No Vote for
That One Office.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 22.—The joint
legislative canvassing committee, re-
counting the St. Louis vote on lieuten-
ant governor, yesterday held 183
ballots in abeyance, because of the
failure to agree upon their legality.

The committee yesterday com-
pleted recounting five more wards, making
fifteen wards recounted, with the ex-
ception of the two precincts withheld.
Gmelich, republican nominee for lieuten-
ant governor, had gained 169
votes over Painter, democrat, when
the committee adjourned at 6 p. m.
yesterday, a net gain of twenty-one
since Monday night.

Ballots in the Eighteenth precinct
of the Twelfth ward were held up
yesterday because 167 of them did
not bear the proper initials of the
election judges. This was caused by
Gaty Pallen, democratic judge, be-
coming ill on election morning, his
place being filled by Charles A. Pot-
terfield.

Pallen was unable to identify hand-
writing purporting to be his on some
of the ballots, and all were withheld
until the committee had decided
what disposition to make of them.
Pallen was confident that no fraud
was attempted in his precinct.

Sixteen ballots of the Tenth pre-
cinct of the Fourteenth ward were
also held up on apparent discrepancy
in handwriting of the judge's initials.
Gmelich's gains yesterday were
twenty-two votes in the Twelfth ward
and thirty-six in the Fifteenth ward.
He lost eleven votes in the Eleven-
fourteen in the Thirteenth and twelve
in the Fourteenth wards.

The committee yesterday rejected
344 ballots, and 260 ballots showed no
vote for lieutenant governor. The
committee has counted 199 precincts
of the 403 precincts in St. Louis, and
23,767 ballots, out of a total of 135,
228.

THE DELMAR HOTEL SOLD

E. Stafford, of Jordan, Missouri, Is
the Purchaser.

Ira McDaniels Thursday afternoon
sold the Delmar hotel building, at the
southwest corner of Main street and
Lamine avenue, including the con-
tents, to E. Stafford, a business man
of Jordan, Mo., the consideration be-
ing \$22,000. Mr. Stafford assumed
charge at once.

Included in the sale were two stores
owned by Mr. Stafford at Jordan,
which Mr. McDaniels took in part
payment.

Mr. Daniels left for Jordan this
morning to remain.

RUTH BRYAN ASKS DIVORCE

Daughter of Commoner Files Suit
Against Artist Husband.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—Ruth Bryan
Leavitt, daughter of Wm. J. Bryan, to-
day filed suit for divorce from Wil-
liam H. Leavitt, the artist husband.
The petition was immediately with-
drawn. T. S. Allen, a brother-in-law
of Mr. Bryan, is attorney for the plain-
tiff. Leavitt is now in Paris.

SHE SAW NO MISCONDUCT

MAY ROBSON, THE ACTRESS, TES-
TIFIES IN GOULD DI-
VORCE SUIT.

VERY GOOD WITNESS FOR THE PLAINTIFF

Was Member of Atlantic City Party
When Farnum Was Present
and All Were "Just
Friendly."

New York, Jan. 22.—Another depo-
sition in the case of Mrs. Catherine
Clemmons Gould, who is suing How-
ard Gould for separation on the
grounds of cruelty and non-support,
was filed yesterday. It was that of
May Robson, the actress, and was tak-
en before a referee appointed by the
supreme court.

Miss Robson deposed that she had
known Mrs. Gould for five or six
years and had been her guest at Cas-
tle Gould and at several luncheons.

While in Philadelphia in October,
1906, she had attended a supper at
the Bellevue-Stratford given by Mrs.
Gould. She had met there, besides
Mrs. Gould, Miss Sells, Miss Shack-
ford and Dustin Farnum, the actor.

The witness was asked whether she
had remained with Mrs. Gould that
night, but said she could not be pos-
itive, although she recollected occupy-
ing a twin bed with Mrs. Gould on
one occasion.

The day after the supper, which
was on Saturday, she said she again
saw Mrs. Gould, and that night had
something to eat with her. She did
not remember whether Farnum was
there that night, but thought he
was.

"Next day," she said, "our party,
including Farnum, motored down to
Atlantic City and went to a hotel.
Mrs. Gould had a headache and stay-
ed in her rooms, while we went out
on the board walk. That night we all
dined in Mrs. Gould's room. I don't
remember whether I slept with Mrs.
Gould that night or not."

"Did you witness any misconduct
on the part of Mrs. Gould with Mr.
Farnum on any of these occasions?"
asked Clarence J. Shearn, counsel for
Mrs. Gould.

"Why," replied Miss Robson, "I
saw absolutely nothing that was not
ladylike and correct in every detail.
They were just friendly. We were all
friendly together."

Miss Robson was asked if she had
ever seen Mrs. Gould intoxicated, and
she replied in the negative. She never
had heard any discussion about a
ring said to have been given to Far-
num by Mrs. Gould, she testified, and
was "staggered," she declared, by
Delancey Nicoll, counsel for Mr.
Gould, asking about such a thing.

HER EIGHTEENTH BIRTHDAY

A Party in Honor of Miss Sadie Wil-
liams Last Night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Williams enter-
tained a company of young lady and
gentleman friends at their home, 910
East Third street, last night for Miss
Sadie Williams, who celebrated her
18th birthday Thursday.

Games and social converse whiled
away the time, and at a late hour re-
freshments were served, after which
all returned home, voting the affair
a very enjoyable one.

Those present were: Misses Elsie
Neighbors, Anna Hill, Mae Thomp-
son, Anna Rector, Bertie Williams,
Velma Neighbors, Sadie Williams;
Messrs. Joseph Thompson, Clyde
Neighbors, David Williams, Archie
Neece, Ernest Thompson, Fred An-
derson, "Bud" Williams, Mr. and Mrs.
E. O. Slagle, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Wil-
liams and Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Wil-
liams.

COUNCIL FOUND GUILTY

Punishment Fixed at Three Years in
the Penitentiary.

The following entries were made
on the docket in criminal court to-
day:

State vs. J. F. M. Counce, illegal
voting; jury finds defendant guilty
and fixes punishment at three years
in the penitentiary.

State vs. George H. Smith, alias
Hugh J. Thomas, having burglars'
tools; defendant arraigned and pleads
not guilty and bail fixed at \$500.

State vs. Edgar Wood, carnal
knowledge; motion for new trial;
supplemental motion for new trial
filed.

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The Weather Forecast.

Showers tonight or Saturday; cooler west portion Saturday.

NEED OF MORE LIBERALITY IN POLITICS.

News dispatches have been sent broadcast the past few weeks, to the effect that Kansas democrats have already begun a movement looking to the nomination of William J. Bryan for president again in 1912. Kansas democrats have done a great many silly things in the past, but the effort to keep Mr. Bryan as the perennial and eternal candidate of their party is about the acme of their political "acumen." To the independent thinking mind, the best thing the Kansas democrats and all other democrats can do, is to sit quietly down and contemplate the result of the last election and take an inventory of the situation. It is the blind factionalism on the part of the democratic party that has made its efforts of late years so impotent. That the democratic party has deserved the consideration of all thoughtful minds, and that there is great need for a virile and patriotic party of opposition in this country, cannot be gainsaid; but so long as factional bitterness and jealousies are in control and so long as but one element or faction takes sufficient interest in party affairs to display even a degree of activity, the republican party will continue in power.

Too much factionalism in party is as reprehensible as too much partisanship in government; and the evils of the latter have certainly manifested themselves in the past decade or more. Too much partisanship is the bane of the country's existence, not only in local affairs, but even in state and national affairs, where it is often exercised to the detriment of policy and patriotism. Labeling a man with a party name doesn't make him honest and efficient. There are bad men and dishonest men in all parties and no one party has a monopoly of good government. But so long as men overlook the vices of their own party and refrain from recognizing the virtues of their opponents, so long partisanship will stand in the way of the best administration of affairs.

If the democratic party expects to become a living potential force of opposition for the good of the nation it must get into a broader limelight; it must cease being a mere party of denunciation and must recognize the good in whatever party it is found. It must bring forth a policy of action and must cease to discredit the opposition merely because it is the opposition. When it has done this, it will have done something to commend itself to the independent thinking electorate of the country and even to a large body who call themselves consistent republicans.

OUR SWEET TOOTH.

A New York newspaper having asserted, in commenting on the statistics of sugar consumption in the United States, that "the fact that the consumption in this country is relatively much larger than in any other freshly illustrates how much better off the poorer people are in America than anywhere else on the globe." The

Chicago Record-Herald disputes both the supposed fact and the comment thereupon by showing that the per capita consumption in England is 92 pounds, as compared with 82.6 pounds in the United States. It adds: "Our poorer people are probably better off than those in other parts of the globe, but evidently there is a hitch in the demonstration from sugar."

The Chicago Record-Herald might have further explained that the excess of sugar production in countries where bounties are paid to planters is dumped in the English market for what it will bring. This fact partly explains the great use of sugar in Great Britain. It is comparatively dear in the United States. This part of the "hitch" in the comparison of per capita consumption might find explanation in the enormous profits of the sugar trust; but it is a "protective" treason to say so.

FREE PAPER IS NEEDED.

The free admission of wood pulp would check the rapid exhaustion of the American supply. If the pulp wood resources of the country are not more carefully husbanded, says the Chicago Tribune, it will be necessary to depend entirely upon imported raw material. The conservation of the trees which are used for making print paper should not be overlooked by those who are interested in the general subject of the conservation of American forests.

The American manufacturers, with their improved processes and machinery, and manufacturing, as they do, on a large scale, have nothing to fear from Canadian competition if print paper were put on the free list. They would be able to retain the home market. The only effect of that competition would be to restrict them to reasonable profits and to force them to keep on improving their plants. With an abundance of raw material they would even be able to establish a profitable export trade.

Cheap print paper means cheap books and papers for the people. A reading people like the Americans want them. The committee on ways and means should not forget that in revising the tariff.

GOT \$15,000 "CONFESSION"

Detectives Who Shadowed Negro Ex-Soldiers Are Dropped.

Washington, Jan. 22.—The services of Brown and Baldwin, the private detectives who were paid \$15,000 for their work in following up the members of the discharged battalion of the Twenty-fifth infantry and secured a "confession" from Boynton Conyers, one of the members, have been dispensed with.

Don't forget the dance at Sedalia hall Saturday night.—Fields.

Interpreting a Gift.

Last Christmas a Philadelphia man sent as a present to his son and daughter-in-law one of the new gold eagles, and with it the following letter:

"The woman on the face of this coin is for you, Clarence, because men usually like good-looking women. The eagle on the reverse, with the feathers on its legs, is for Lottie, because women are supposed to like birds and feathers."

"The 'E pluribus unum,' which you know is translated 'One of many,' means that of the many of them you would like to have this is the only one you get."

"The 13 stars, being an unlucky number, indicate the hard luck many of us have in our efforts to gather in the quantity of these coins we really have need for, but then the 46 stars around the rim tell you that by working like 46 days in the week you can probably accumulate enough to see you through."

Why is there more Big "S" flour sold? It is the very best. Quality sells Big "S" flour.

Bird Snaring in Connecticut.

Reports from hunters who have made trips to different points where game usually can be found indicate that snaring has prevailed this season to a greater extent than ever before. Evidence is abundant in any locality frequented by game, the telltale snare, not infrequently still holding its prey, being a dumb but sure witness that lawbreakers are numerous and are almost thoughtless in their boldness.

Some idea of the magnitude of this law-breaking work in this state may be gained from the fact that one man alone had shipped some 300 birds to another state within a few weeks after the close season was on.—Hartford Courant.

Another Touch.

"Maria," said Mr. Stubb, as he looked through his waistcoat, "where are those ten-dollar notes I had?" "Why, I took them, John," responded Mrs. Stubb, innocently. "Didn't you say I could have anything I found under a dollar?"

"Well, but—" "Yes, they were both under a dollar. The dollar was on top."

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NOT TO ASK FOR CLEMENCY

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Washington, Jan. 22.—"We have not asked, and will not ask for clemency, and we hope our friends will not urge us to pursue such a course. To ask pardon would render useless all the trial and sacrifice which our men of labor and our friends in all walks of life have endured, that the rights and liberties of our people might be restored. Such a pardon would only leave the whole case in confusion and it would have to be fought over again from the beginning."

This is some of the language used in a statement signed by Gumpers, Mitchell and Morrison in the current number of the American Federationist in formal protest against the action of Justice Wright in sentencing them to imprisonment for contempt of court in the Buck stove and range case, December 23.

Try "Atlas" hard wheat flour, and if not the best your money back.

Bad Novels.

Novels have deteriorated lamentably, the paying book now being either the wildly sensational or the insidiously wicked; incidents that formerly were named with bated breath being openly written of and blazoned abroad, for gain of gold, and too often by women. It is difficult to find a plain intellectual meal served by the moderns, who furnish us with little but cayenne pepper, poisonously spiced oysters and Gorgonzola cheese—a literary dinner the memory of which, as has been well said, serves no end but to leave a dark-brown taste in the mouth.

Faith and Hope.

Mayme—If you don't love him why are you going to marry him?
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CLAIMS IT MEANS GRAFT

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becomes a persecutor, who alternately protects and prosecutes.

"Prohibition means not temperance, but lawlessness, and the more powerful the movement becomes and the more numerous its advocates, the nearer we approach the reign of anarchy and outlawry."

Dr. Callen discussed the effect of the anti-liquor law in Kansas, particularly in Salina and Pittsburg. A temperance movement, he said, prohibition in Salina is a failure, both morally and financially, and the end is not yet. This was true of other cities in the state, he asserted.

President: Gilmore's Address.

"The people do not want prohibition, but they want a reform, and when we prove that we, too, want reform, when we gain the confidence of the public, the prohibition wave will recede, and the anti-Saloon league will find its occupation gone."

So declared President Gilmore, of the National Model License league, in his address at the convention of that organization today.

Mr. Gilmore discussed reform movements and the prohibition wave, which he declared to be a protest against things that ought not to be; against conditions that ought not to continue.

Mr. Gilmore said he was satisfied that the prohibition movement will ultimately result in good to the liquor trade and to society, but he insisted that it should be carried along in a less radical way, and that the reforms desired should be brought about without such tremendous losses as are being entailed through the passage of prohibitory laws.

"The people of this country do not want prohibition," he insisted, "nor do they want the saloon, unless the saloon is properly conducted."

"The saloon, if properly conducted, is a very good convenience; but the saloon that is run in connection with gambling that violated the law, and that sells to minors and to men who are intoxicated, is certainly out of touch with civilization; it is an offense to modern thought, and it should be stamped out by a mandatory penalty that is absolutely merciless in its provisions."

Mr. Gilmore said that if the saloon should be permanently abolished it would be found necessary to provide a substitute, because the strenuous life incident to modern civilization demands a place of relaxation, where friend can meet friend, and where the worries and cares and responsibilities of life may, for the times being, be put aside.

"The anti-Saloon league," he continued, "is not advocating prohibition, and to one familiar with the situation all of this talk about 'dry territory' is nothing more than an absurdity. There is no 'dry territory' in this country, although there are a number of states and a great many counties, aggregating in area probably one-half of the United States, in which laws have been adopted prohibiting the sale, and in some cases the manufacture of alcoholic beverages."

"A law merely prohibiting the sale of alcoholic beverages, however, cannot affect the purchase and use of alcoholic beverages any more than a law that might prohibit the sale of cigars would affect the consumption of cigars."

The speaker said that since the passage of the prohibition laws in such states as Georgia and Oklahoma, shipments of beer and whisky to the states have been phenomenally large. This he attributed to the fact that people who, under a license system, would never keep whisky in their



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houses, are persuaded to buy at least four bottles through fear that in case of dire need they would not be able to secure it in time.

The anti-Saloon league, he said, was fully alive to the weakness of its cause, and its leaders know that the people of this country do not want prohibition. He declared that the Rose law, in effect in Ohio, was doomed to be nullified and in time to be repealed, as it would not bring the desired reform.

"We contend," said he, "that it is absolutely essential to the solution of this problem that all licenses to retail liquors in this country shall continue as they continue in Europe—that is, that the saloon keeper's license to do business shall continue without any possible interference, or any power of cancellation, unless it be by a majority vote of the people or else by conviction in a court of competent jurisdiction of the violation of law."

"A license of this character would immediately remove the saloon keeper from the realm of politics; it would save him from the demands of the blackmailer; it would give him a feeling of permanency and a desire to conduct a business that is to be permanent in the best possible manner."

"We, therefore, contend that no more licenses ought to be issued until the proportion is not greater than one for each 500 of population, so that each of these licenses would possess a very great value."

"We also contend that the price paid by the saloon keeper each year for the privilege of doing business should be reasonable."

"We then insist that, in consideration of so valuable a license, the penalty for the violation of law should be mandatory, and that no discretion should be lodged with any judge or licensing board."

"It is our idea that for the first conviction of violation of law on the part of a saloon keeper, or of his employees in the conduct of his business, his license should be suspended for a period of thirty days; and that for the second conviction his license should be absolutely canceled, and that he should not again be licensed to retail liquors in the state."

This, Mr. Gilmore said, would solve what is known as the liquor problem in so far as the sale of alcoholic beverages is concerned. This problem solved, the more important problem of temperance on the part of the individual could be taken up, he said.

In conclusion the speaker said: "I am satisfied the time is coming when the man who becomes intoxicated will be treated as a criminal and will be punished with the utmost severity; and I, furthermore, believe that the time is coming when the people of this country will give up and resent what is known as the treating habit, even as the people of continental Europe have done."

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Charles I.'s Cloak.

The mayor and corporation of Shrewsbury, England, have recently had presented to them the scarlet cloak which was worn by Charles I. on the scaffold at Whitehall. The cloak was secured by William Walcott, who was page of honor to the unhappy monarch and who was in attendance on the king at the time of his execution. The garment has been in the possession of the Walcott family for 260 years, and was exhibited at the Society of Antiquaries in 1861. It is in a splendid state of preservation, and the Walcott family having presented it to the Shrewsbury town council, it is now on view in the town museum.

High Lineage of Slang.

"That expression, 'Painting the town red,' is not," writes a correspondent, "the creation of some unknown Cockney genius, as G. K. C. would seem to infer. Its birth has been traced to 'The Divine Comedy.' Dante, led by Virgil, comes to the cavernous depths of the place swept by a mighty wind where those are confined who have been the prey of their passions. Two faces arise from the mist—the faces of Francesca and Paolo. 'Who are ye?' cries Dante in alarm; and Francesca replies sadly: 'We are those who have painted the world red with our sins.'"

Crocodiles Along the Nile.

At the sound of the shot the whole of this bank of the river, over the extent of at least a quarter of a mile, sprang into hideous life, and my companions and I saw hundreds of crocodiles, of all sorts and sizes, rushing madly into the Nile, whose waters along the line of the shore were lashed into white foam, exactly as a heavy wave had broken.

It could be no exaggeration to say that at least a thousand of these saurians had been disturbed at a single shot.—Strand Magazine.

Not Scared.

"Were you frightened during the battle, Pat?" asked a sergeant of an Irishman who had received his "baptism of fire."

"Not a bit, sir," replied Pat. "Oi can face most anything when Oi have me back to it."—Unidentified.

There is no money in "Atlas" flour, but there is the best flour on the market.

UNDER STATUTE OF 1825

Prosecution of New York World Is Far Fetched.

New York, Jan. 22.—After examining a number of witnesses in the case of the United States against the Press Publishing company, the federal grand jury which has been inquiring into the charges of criminal libel brought against the New York World for publication of articles reflecting upon the government in its purchase of the Panama canal property adjourned yesterday until Monday.

The witnesses included Earl F. Crazin, a one-time ardent advocate of the Nicaragua project; A. C. Ryan, a Washington newspaper correspondent; William J. Dempsey, foreman of the mailing room of the World, and three employees of the World mailing room, William Gull and Daniel and Thomas Cochran.

The assumption by attorneys for the World that the actions before the federal grand jury of the District of Columbia, the New York federal grand jury and the grand jury of the county of New York, were based upon the United States statute of 1825, which confers upon the federal authorities the right to prosecute under the laws for offenses committed upon land ceded to the government by the state, was not disputed by either United States District Attorney Henry L. Stimson or District Attorney Jerome.

Roc and Knox Subpoenaed.

Washington, Jan. 22.—It is understood that subpoenas were issued yesterday for the appearance today of Secretary Root, Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, and Assistant Attorney General Russell before the grand jury to testify relative to the government's connection with the Panama canal purchase.

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California Anti-Gambling Measure Is Expected to Pass.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 22.—Developments in the fight being made by the race track interests to prevent the enactment in this state of a law similar to that in effect in New York prohibiting betting upon races, showed last afternoon that within a short period it would be ready for the signature of Governor Gillett.

The assembly passed the measure by a vote of 67 to 10. Lieutenant Governor Warren F. Potter said last evening there was no doubt of its passage in the senate. Governor Gillette has repeated several times the statement that he would sign a bill prohibiting gambling on the races.

Ladies' Home Journal at Scott's today.

The Patient Is Doing Well.

Mrs. J. W. Campbell, 611 West Fourth street, whose husband is employed by the government in settling Indian claims, was operated upon for a tumor at Maywood hospital by Dr. M. C. Aljerman Thursday, and today is reported as doing nicely.

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CHURCH UNION UPHELD

**KENTUCKY COURT OF APPEALS
 REVERSES DECISION OF
 LOWER TRIBUNAL.**

ONE JUDGE, NUNN, HELD CONTRARY VIEW

**Congregations of Cumberland and
 Regular Presbyterians Effected
 —The End of a Long and
 Bitter Struggle.**

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 22.—The court of appeals yesterday reversed the case of H. J. Wallace and others against Elihan Hughes and others, from Union county, which is a suit over the right of possession of the Cumberland church property at Sturgis.

The lower court decided in favor of the Cumberland church people as against those members of the church who favored the consolidation with the Presbyterian Church of America. Judge Barker delivered the opinion. Judge Nunn dissented, and Judge Settle did not sit. The opinion upholds the legality of the acts of consolidating the two church organizations.

The case involves the validity of the union between the Cumberland Presbyterian church and the Presbyterian church in the United States of America. The litigation arose over a contest between two factions of the Cumberland Presbyterian church at Sturgis, Ky., one of which favored the union and the other opposed it. The circuit court decided in favor of that party which opposed the union, and held that the general assembly and presbyteries of the Cumberland Presbyterian church had exceeded their constitutional powers in forming the union.

This judgment is reversed. The

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court of appeals, in an opinion by Judge Barker, holding that the right to form the union was either expressly given by section 43 of the constitution, or that the right existed by necessary implication; that the question whether or not the creed of the Presbyterian church in the United States of America, as revised by the declaratory statement of 1903, made it to confirm the creed of the Cumberland Presbyterian church on the subject of foreordination, predestination, election and infant damnation was a question of doctrine, faith and church dogma, and, therefore, exclusively within the jurisdiction of the church courts, and their decision on this question is not reversible by the civil tribunals; that where property is held by a congregation, which is an integral part of a general church government such as the Presbyterian and the property has not been impressed with an specific religious trust by the donor, if it was acquired in that way, then the right of the congregation to hold and enjoy this property depends upon its continuance as an integral part of the church government as a whole; that if there be a schism in the congregation and conflicting claims to the church property, the civil tribunals will award it to the party which can be identified as a part of the general church government, or its lawful successor.

The court holds that in the Presbyterian form of church government the individual members have no voice in deciding questions of doctrine and faith. All ultimate power of this kind is reposed in the various church judicatories, commencing with the church sessions, which is the lowest, and, going up through the presbyteries, the synods and the general assembly, which is the highest, that, by the constitution of the Cumberland Presbyterian church, that instrument, or the creed or confession of faith may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the general assembly at a stated meeting, if the amendment be approved by a majority of the Presbyterians voting upon that question; that if what was done to effect the union required a change in the constitution, because the plan of union was adopted by a two-thirds vote of the general assembly at a stated meeting, and their action was approved by the majority of the presbyteries of the general assembly at a stated meeting.

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YOUNG OTTO IS WHIPPED

**New York Sports See Leach Cross
 Put Over the Sleep Producer.**

New York, Jan. 22.—A real knock-out, witnessed by a crowd of 3,500 at the Fairmount Athletic club last night and no police interference, brought back memories of past days when glove contests were held in Madison Square garden and gave the followers of the boxing game a feeling of security for the future. Leach Cross knocked out Young Otto in the fifth round of the chief event, scheduled to go ten rounds.

The two lightweights put up a fast battle in the first two rounds; Otto showed flashes of cleverness and out-pointed his opponent. In the third round, however, Cross landed a heavy body blow that weakened Otto and thereafter he forced the fighting. At the end of the fourth round Otto was bleeding and in the fifth a right swing to the jaw sent him down twice before he was finally counted out. The winner of the bout has been promised a match with Packy McFarland.

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"PEN" FOR WIFE DESERTERS

**Representative Hicks, of Kansas City,
 Will introduce Bill.**

Jefferson City, Jan. 22.—Representative W. J. Hicks, of Kansas City, has prepared a bill which he will introduce in the house to make a penitentiary offense for husbands to desert families.

At present the offense is merely a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine or short term in a county jail.

The Hicks bill will seek to have two compartments; jail for husbands who desert wives only, but the penitentiary for those who desert wives with children.

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WILL NOT RENOUNCE TITLE

**Duke of Abruzzi Will Carry Out Ex-
 pedition to Himalayas.**

Rome, Jan. 22.—The Duke of Abruzzi, it was announced last night, does not intend to resign his rank in the navy, forsake his princely title and go to America to marry Miss Elks. The duke is bent on carrying out the expedition to the Himalayas, which he is about to undertake.

One of the court dignitaries says that if the duke intended to renounce his title he would not have waited un-

til now, nor would he have organized the expedition to the Himalayas.

He adds that the duke is heartbroken over the abandonment of his marriage, but is reconciled to his fate and realizes that a prince is bound to sacrifice the dictates of his heart to the welfare of his own country.

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But the model with the fine head, wore about the rustiest suit of clothes you ever saw. His cuffs were frayed. His collar stayed up with difficulty, it was so old.

When the three hours were up he gave a sigh of relief, for posing is hard work. There is no work harder. The artist drew forth his wad and paid him. The model thanked him with a grateful smile.

"He is down and out," said the artist when he had gone. "He hadn't a penny to get his lunch with."

And he looked at the picture he had drawn of him as a splendid senator of Washington with a complacent smile of satisfaction with the fine dignity of it.

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PRIEST HELD HER PRISONER

**Omaha Woman Tells of Being Cap-
 tive in Manitoba.**

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 22.—After escaping from the residence of Rev. Anton Lubiez, who said he was a priest, where, she declares, she had been held captive for two months, Miss Bronislowa, of Omaha, Neb., fled to the home of friends, where she met Fr. Baleslau Baligrovski, whom she married.

The young woman, in telling her story yesterday, said she was lured here by Lubiez, who promised to secure her a position as music teacher. Instead, she charges, he kept her prisoner.

Lubiez was arrested yesterday on information from Chicago and will be taken there to answer to criminal charges. He is said to have maintained an orphan asylum there under the guise of being a church institution.

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Many Perish in Gold Mine.

Johannesburg, Jan. 22.—Ten white men and 150 natives were drowned today in the Witwaters Rand gold mine, which became flooded by the bursting of a dam, caused by a heavy rain.

Water from the dam flooded the

lower sections of the town of Els-burg where thirteen other persons were drowned.

WATER MAKES 2,000 ILL

**Epidemic of Typhoid Feared From
 Drinking River Water.**

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—According to an official estimate made yesterday by a chemist representing the state board of health and the local health authorities, there are 2,000 persons ill in Bellevue, a suburb of this city, as a result of drinking river water furnished by a water company last Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

Should the estimate be correct, practically the entire population of Bellevue is suffering from an illness at this time which may develop into an epidemic of typhoid.

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BEAR REVELED IN LUXURIES.

**Bruin's Feed Somewhat Expensive to
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A large brown bear, the property of the traveler, Count Schenborn, was being taken by train to his master's estate in Saxony, when he broke the bars of his cage and turned his attention to the contents of the luggage van. He smashed two egg boxes and sucked 112 eggs, and then exploited four butter casks. What he did not devour he smeared over himself and the sides of the van.

Some crates containing poultry for market next attracted Bruin, who consumed three fat geese and several ducks and fowls. He quenched his thirst with a hamper of cherries and was discovered at Halle in the act of sampling some cheese.

The officials, threatened by Bruin, fled for their lives. A long time elapsed before the animal was persuaded to re-enter his cage, during which time the train was delayed.

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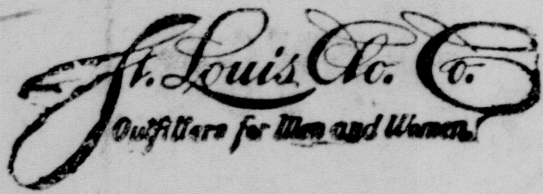
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THE LODGES

Attention, Sir Knights.

St. Omer commandery No. 11, Knights Templar, will meet in special conclave Friday evening, January 22, at 7:30, for work in the Order of the Red Cross. All Sir Knights are requested to be present. Visiting Sir Knights fraternally invited.

E. A. Sisson, M. C.
J. W. Mallery, Recorder.

Garnet Council, F. A. A., to Elect and Install Officers.

Garnet council No. 765, Fraternal Aid Association will meet in K. of C. building Friday night, hall (Sedalia Trust building.) All members are earnestly requested to be present. Hereafter the council will meet on the first and third Friday nights of each month at above named hall.

M. V. Carroll, Pres.
Clyde M. Brown, Secy.

K. of P. Notice.

Sedalia lodge No. 27, Knights of Pythias, meets tonight in their hall, 114 East Fifth street, for the transaction of regular business.

Visiting brothers cordially invited to attend.

FRED TIETZE, C. C.
CHARLES COSTIN, K. of R. and S.

WHITE HOUSE CHINA

HISTORICAL COLLECTION IN EXECUTIVE MANSION.

To Gen. Theodore A. Bingham of New York is Chiefly Due Credit for Preservation of Beautiful Specimens.

There is nearing completion in the White House at Washington one of the most interesting historical collections to be found in the country, writes Abby G. Baker in the Century. It is a collection of presidential ware largely composed of pieces of china, but also containing a few pieces of plate—begun by Mrs. Roosevelt soon after she became mistress of the famous old mansion.

The inception of the collection was almost by accident. While Gen. Theodore A. Bingham, now police commis-

sioner of Greater New York, was superintendent of public buildings and grounds at Washington, a position which entails supervision of the White House, he found that there was comparatively little of the china or the plate left which had been used through the administrations of the various chief executives.

Before his appointment as superintendent he had served as military aide to our American embassies at both Berlin and Rome, and while there had noted the veneration and care bestowed upon the royal residences and their belongings. It did not take him long to discover the painful lack in that regard in the president's house. Meeting the writer of this article one day in the early summer of 1901, he asked her why she did not write a "story" on the presidential china in the White House and awaken interest in it that would lead to its preservation.

"If somebody does not do that pretty soon," he added, energetically, "there won't be any left to preserve." Mrs. Roosevelt has always taken the greatest interest in everything pertaining to American history, and she saw that it lay within her power to preserve at least specimens of the historic ware. She designed two cabinets and had them placed in the lower east corridor of the mansion, where they could be inspected by all visitors, and then asked the writer to come to the White House and select the pieces of china which should be placed in the cabinets.

While this work was being done the new state dining set which Mrs. Roosevelt had ordered for the White House arrived and, including the pieces chosen from it, eight shelves were filled with china which was used during the administrations of Lincoln, Grant, Hayes, Arthur, Harrison, Cleveland, McKinley and Roosevelt—a shelf to each administration.

The china selected by Mrs. Roosevelt for the state dining set could not be in better taste. It is Wedgwood and is decorated in a simple Colonial pattern in gold, with the obverse of the great seal enameled in colors on each dish. There are over 1,200 pieces in the set, and to accompany it she ordered 144 pieces of glassware. A dinner platter, dinner, breakfast, tea and soup plates, with a tea cup and a coffee cup and the saucers, were selected from this set for the collection.

Neither Mrs. McKinley nor Mrs. Cleveland ordered much china for the executive mansion, but plates and cups and saucers of their selection were placed in the cabinets. The plates selected by Mrs. Cleveland were exquisite Wedgwood and Minturn patterns, and one of the odd flag design bonbon dishes, used first at the Cleveland state dinners, was also included on the Cleveland shelf.

Mrs. Harrison was very artistic in her taste, as well as patriotic, and she greatly desired to have the golden rod adopted as the national flower. When she found that she would have to order some new china she designed the decoration for it, combining the goldenrod and leaf with the Indian corn and stalk. On each piece this design, with the coat-of-arms of the United States and a rim of golden stars, was emblazoned. In addition she selected many pieces of cut glass, and they also bear the coat-of-arms.

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A WIDOW SEEKS \$500,000

RELICT OF OKLAHOMAN SUES FOR INSURANCE DUE AT HUSBAND'S DEATH.

COL. JOSHUA BURDETTE WAS FOUND DEAD

Companies Fought the Claim on a Suicide Theory—It Is Now Believed Man Was Assassinated.

Muskogee, Ok., Jan. 22.—Mrs. Susie M. Burdette, widow of Joshua Burdette, a pioneer merchant of Creek county, who was the victim of a mysterious assassination at Eufaula, Ok., in 1906, filed suit in the United States court here yesterday for the recovery of \$500,000 insurance upon Burdette's life.

The Pennsylvania Mutual Insurance company of Philadelphia, the American National Insurance company of Galveston, the Provident Savings Life Assurance company of New York, the Mutual Life of New York and the Fidelity and Casualty company of New York are defendants.

Burdette's body was found on a well curb at his farm. Near by on the ground was the revolver with which he had been killed. For a time it was believed Burdette had committed suicide, but an investigation revealed no cause for such action, and the assassination theory was accepted.

The insurance companies fought the claim on the suicide grounds. They now make the claim that in applying for policies Burdette made false statements to the examiners.

Judge Ralph Campbell set the case for trial February 8.

ONCE SHE WEPT, NOW SUES

Divorce Is Wanted by Woman Who Offered Husband Free.

St. Louis, Jan. 22.—Mrs. Sopironia Ella Travis, the woman who offered to give her husband, Cassius Mariot Travis, to any one who would take him, and then wept when she lost him, filed suit for divorce in the circuit court yesterday.

In her petition, Mrs. Travis says they were married December 20, 1905, and separated September 21, 1908. She alleges Travis maintains a separate home in Alton, Ill., and that he forbade her to visit him there.

Mrs. Travis asks \$200 a month permanent alimony and says Travis is possessed of sufficient property to make this a just allowance.

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THE REAL AMERICAN HEIRESS.

A Worthy Standard of Conduct the Only Imperishable Heritage.

To know that one's forebears were people of refinement, of culture, of gentle breeding, instead of inspiring arrogance should challenge the best that is in one, lest he fall short as a representative of those in whose persons these graces once flowered, writes Ruth McEnry Stuart in Harper's Bazar.

An inherited standard of life—let us put that down in our list of blessings. And for all inherent good which has come down to us as a benediction, without the asking, and which may be held only in trust as a sacred responsibility, let us delight to give thanks.

We American women, then, will tell to our children any true story of process, of chivalry, of long patience and reverent waiting—of any great quality which has found expression in lives of any of their ancestors—so that they may know themselves thus endowed with the only imperishable heritage. The daughter, the granddaughter, who comes by direct line into such an inheritance is the real American heiress.

She may not have a dinner gown to her name, or be "up" in the etiquette of fashionable life. Perhaps she is not even a person of leisure, much less a member of the "leisure class." If so, so much the better. So much more hopefully has she her life in her own hands.

All merchants sell and guarantee Big "S" Flour.

FEARED TOTAL LOSS OF HAIR

Scalp had been Sealy for Some Time—After an Attack of Typhoid Fever his Hair Began to Fall Out by the Handful—Now It is

THICKER THAN EVER
THANKS TO CUTICURA

"About two years ago I was troubled with my head being sealy, like dandruff but heavier—although I wash my head once a week always. It never gave me any trouble such as itching or smarting and I never noticed any falling of the hair. But shortly after that I had an attack of typhoid fever and I was out of the hospital possibly two months when I first noticed the loss of hair, my scalp being still sealy. I started to use a dandruff cure to no effect whatever. And I used a quinine preparation quite freely which did no good either. Whether it was the effect of the fever or some scalp disease I don't know, but I had actually lost hope of saving any hair at all. I could brush it off my coat by the handful, I got so bad that I didn't need to comb it any more—in fact I was afraid to. My brother, who had used the Cuticura Remedies with satisfaction, advised me to try them. After using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and nearly a box of Cuticura Ointment, the change was surprising. My scalp is now clear and healthy as could be and my hair thicker than ever, whereas six months ago I had my mind made up to be bald in a short time. I will have a photograph taken later and send you a copy. William F. Steese, 5812 Broad St., Pittsburg, Penn., May 7 and 21, '08."

Warm baths with Cuticura Soap and gentle anointings with Cuticura Ointment, assisted when necessary by Cuticura Resolvent (liquid or pills), afford instant relief in the most distressing forms of itching, burning, sealy, crusted humors, eczemas, rashes, inflammations, irritations and chafings of infancy and childhood, permit rest and sleep and point to a speedy and permanent cure, in the majority of cases, when all other remedies fail.

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PAIN MADE A DEFINITE POINT.

No Manner of Doubt as to Location of Trouble.

Angelina Spring, in spite of the beauteous sound of her name, had a bad temper. One day she insisted on crying, and protested when the question was put often enough to elicit an answer, that she had a "pain." Exactly where, she would not or could not describe. Her persistent fretting finally won for her a vigorous spanking.

After the punishment there was quiet. A caller came, and heard the tale.

"You see," said Mrs. Spring, "she kept saying that 'it hurt her,' but she wouldn't say where. So there seemed no other way to stop her bawling than to spank her."

"Kind of localizing the pain?" suggested the visitor.

"Yes," agreed Mrs. Spring, heartily. "That is it precisely."—Youth's Companion.

Fortune.

Ill fortune never crushed that man whom good fortune deceived not. I therefore have counseled my friends never to trust to her fairer side, though she seemed to make peace with them; but to place all things she gave them so as she might take them again without their trouble; she might take them from them, not put them; to keep always a distance between her and themselves. He knows not his own strength that hath not met adversity. Heaven prepares good men with crosses; but no ill can happen to a good man. Contraries are not mixed. Yet that which happens to any man may to every man. But it is in his reason what he accounts it and will make it.—Ben Jonson.

Examination of the eyes by an expert optician at Bard's, Jeweler and Optician.

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P. Hoffman

GOT AWAY WITH THE PLAY

WARREN GILL, WHO WAS SOLD BY PITTSBURG CLUB TO MINNEAPOLIS.

HE WILL HOLD DOWN THE INITIAL SACK

While With the Pirates He Was Gully of Play Similar to Merkle's, That Cost New York Giants the Championship.

Warren Gill, first baseman of the Pittsburgh Nationals last season, who has been sold to the Minneapolis American association club, will add much strength to the Millers' infield the coming season, says the St. Louis Star-Chronicle.

With Gill on first, Quillen or Wheeler on second, Oylar at short and Smith on third, the Minneapolis infield promises to be one of the best in the A. A.

Gill will take the place of "Turkey Neck" Bill Clarke, the veteran first baseman, who has been sold to the Omaha Western league club. Gill did regular work for Fred Clarke's Pirates the latter part of last season and performed very cleverly. He is a first-class fielder and pretty fair bats.

It was rumored for a season that Gill was thinking seriously of managing the Grand Rapids team of the Central league, which Hans Wagner and Fred Lynch were going to buy, but the deal fell through and Gill will play with Cantillon's team the coming season.

The Miller's new first baseman is known as the "Merkle of Pittsburgh." One day last summer when the Pirates were playing the Chicago Cubs, Gill pulled off the same kind of a play that Merkle did on that memorable day in New York, when the Giants defeated the Cubs before 35,000 persons by the score of 2 to 1 and the game was protested on account of Merkle's "bone-headed" work on the bases. The funny thing about Gill's play, however, was that he got away with it and the Pirates defeated the Cubs in the ninth inning.

"Hank" O'Day was umpiring the game. Wagner was at bat with Gill on first and Tommy Leach was stationed at the third corner and only one run was needed to win the game. The mighty Wagner rapped a single to right and Tommy Leach politely walked home, while Gill, after getting half way between first and second, saw that Leach would score, and turning made a dash for the club house.

All the Chicago players surrounded O'Day and started to protest the game, but Hank said that he did not see the play and the game was won by Pittsburgh. Warren Gill should make a great drawing card the coming season because all of the American association fans are anxious to see a player that can get away with a play of this kind.

Call for "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c.

TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Latest Wire Quotations on Grain, Live Stock and Local Products.

Grain Quotations. The following quotations are furnished the Democrat-Sentinel at 3 p. m. each day by B. C. Christopher & Co., grain merchants, Board of Trade building, Kansas City, Mo.:

Grain receipts—Wheat, 85 cars; corn, 35 cars; oats, 28 cars. Wheat market—One cent lower. No. 2, 99½¢@1.07½¢; No. 3, 98½¢@1.05¢; No. 2 red, 1.09@1.10¢; No. 3 red, 1.07@1.09¢. Futures—May, 1.00½¢; July, 91¢. Corn market—One-half to one cent lower. No. 2 white, 60½¢; No. 2 yellow, 59¢; No. 2 mixed, 58¢@59¢. Futures—May, 58½¢; July, 59¢; Sept., 58½¢. Oats market—Unchanged. No. 2 mixed, 49¢@49½¢; No. 2 white, 50¢@51¢.

SEDALIA MARKET.

Prices Paid by the Local Dealers for Breadstuffs, Cereals, Etc.

Lard, per lb.....10c.. to 11c
Geese 7c
Potatoes, per bu.....65 to 75c
Butter, per lb.....20c to 25c
Eggs, per doz..... 25c

Cereals and Breadstuffs.

Hard wheat flour, per cwt.....\$3.00
Soft wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.70
Graham flour, per cwt.....\$2.40
Choops, per cwt.....\$1.60
Bran, per cwt.....\$1.20
Corn, per bu......75
Wheat, per bu......93c

Poultry.

Springs 8c
Ducks 5c
Sings 11c
Roosters 3½c

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\$1.50 Fancy Embroidered Waists	79c	\$3.00 Fancy Embroidered Waists	1.50
\$2.00 Fancy Embroidered Waists	99c	\$4.00 Fancy Embroidered Waists	2.00

Turkeys 10c
Hens 7c

Meeting of the Clio Club.

Carpets, Rugs and Draperies, McKenzie's, 114 East Fifth.

The regular meeting of the Clio club was held Thursday. Mrs. Sallie Potter Sneed read a paper on "Napoleon III and Eugenia," and was followed by Miss Mae Hawkins, who read a paper on "Second and Third Republics." Miss Elta Hurley read a paper on "Conversation—Louis Philippi and his Court."

Don't take a substitute for Gold Coin.

Down the Old Road.
Sillas—Took Mandy out driving last night and tried to kiss her.
Cyrus—And wouldn't she stand for it?
Sillas—Yes, but the blamed old horse wouldn't. He ran away.

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NO NAPKIN FOR THE PRESIDENT.

How "Fighting Bob" Kept Discipline on a Man-o-War.

As a flag officer, I have always required of the commissary officer of each ship a bill of fare, prepared a week in advance, stating just what would be served at each meal. This, forwarded through his commanding officer, came to me and after examination was passed to the paymaster of the fleet for filing. To be sure that this bill of fare was followed, and the food properly prepared and served, I frequently went on board some ship of the fleet without any previous notice and directed the captain to have a table set for me on the mess deck among the men, and there, in company with the members of my staff and the captain and commissary officer of the ship, took my dinner. The meal was served to us exactly as it was to the men and nothing was permitted on the table which they did not have, is the declaration of Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans, in his navy articles in Hampton's Broadway Magazine.

On one occasion I took the president to dine in this way with the crew of a battleship, and he had a most enjoyable dinner. The captain was shocked that the president had no napkin to wipe his mouth on, and proposed to send for one, but I assured him that I would not permit one on the table. This custom of mine, like some other of my performances, would have turned the captain of 50 years ago white-headed. However that may be, it convinced the men, and also the commissary officer, that I intended to see that those under my command should be properly fed, and the first effect was to stop a vast amount of growling and discontent in the fleet.

When you buy Big "S" flour you get the best flour. Nothing else.

BUSINESS OR DRESS SUITS—NEWEST PATTERNS. LOEWER, TAILOR, 112 EAST THIRD.

PERSONALS

Tilden McMullin made a visit at Lamonte today.

R. W. Griffith called on the trade at Holden today.

Henry Schmit went to Clinton today on business.

George Klein made a business visit at Holden today.

Will Jolly called on the trade at Lamonte this morning.

F. L. Farley was a passenger to Warsaw this morning.

J. W. Mellor will go to Kansas City tomorrow on business.

Mrs. John Wamsley returned this afternoon from St. Louis.

Rev. R. C. Miller was a passenger to Lamonte this morning.

Elmer Murray made a business trip to Booneville this morning.

H. R. Finke made a business visit on the Warsaw line today.

C. S. Schwartz made a business trip to Green Ridge today.

Mrs. W. O. Terry visited friends and relatives at Lamonte today.

"Bob" Biggs made a business visit at Warrensburg this morning.

Edward Wilson returned this afternoon from a business visit at Tipton.

Kemp Hieronymus will return Sunday from a business visit in Oklahoma.

John W. Sims and W. T. Morris made a business visit at Lamonte today.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Donohue were passengers to Kansas City this afternoon.

F. E. Hoffman, Sr., will arrive tomorrow from a business visit at Kansas City.

Mrs. C. P. Werner and babe will go to Warrensburg tomorrow to visit home folks.

J. E. McCormick returned this afternoon from a business visit at Jefferson City.

Miss Butcher returned home to Lamonte today, after a brief visit with friends here.

Misses Elizabeth and Fannie Yost went to Kansas City this morning to visit friends.

John Montgomery, Jr., returned this afternoon from a business visit at Jefferson City.

E. C. Littlefield spent last night in Sedalia and returned home to Knobnoster this morning.

Miss Edythe Boughner, of Fayette, arrived last night to visit her cousin, Miss Mildred Boughner.

Peter P. Tarwater, a former Sedalian, came up from St. Louis this afternoon to visit friends.

Thornton Greer, of Knob Noster, was here last night, and went to Higbee today on business.

Ernest Green, caterer for Eddie McGurran, who is quite ill with a sore throat, is not so well today.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leaming were passengers to Kansas City this morning for business and pleasure.

Fred Slaughter, night clerk at the Huckins hotel, went home to Jefferson City this afternoon to visit.

Mrs. Frank Gouge returned home to Kansas City this afternoon, after visiting Condy McHugh and family.

George H. Trader, of Cole Camp, was a westbound passenger on Missouri Pacific train No. 37 this morning.

Mrs. E. G. Cassidy and daughter, Mrs. John McGrath, who were called to Chicago by the death of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenton

Pope, returned home this morning.

R. L. Bliss, of Memphis, Tenn., arrived this afternoon for business purposes.

J. J. O'Donnell returned to Kansas City this afternoon, after a business visit here, likewise Sam Kingsbaker.

Sam Kingsbaker, the Kansas City cigar and tobacco salesman, returned this morning from a business visit at Windsor.

J. J. O'Donnell, a genial St. Louis traveling salesman, is working the local trade today, and is "getting the business."

Miss Clara Lajin, formerly Mrs. J. W. Angle, returned home to Kansas City this afternoon, after visiting Sedalia friends.

Miss Drue Kelly, who has had a long siege with la grippe and rheumatism, is able to be up town today, for the first time since her attack.

Mrs. C. W. Goodwin went to Kansas City this morning to be at the bedside of her husband, who is a patient at the Missouri Pacific hospital.

Ross E. Feaster and W. G. Davis, of Windsor; C. C. Dickinson, of Clinton, and John Wood and son, Edgar, of Windsor, are here today on business.

Will Etzbach, who has been employed at Biehse Bros' jewelry store, has resigned, and will leave tomorrow, for Detroit, Mich., to enter the Landis School of Engraving.

Miss Laura Gentry, who has been attending the State University at Columbia, returned home last night, and on account of severe eye strain, will not resume her studies during the coming semester.

Carpets, Rugs and Draperies McKenzies', 114 East Fifth.

CALLS DEBATING IMMORAL

Professor Says Intercollegiate Contests Harm Students.

Columbia, Mo., Jan. 22.—Students were startled and teachers stood aghast yesterday when Dr. Lovejoy, professor of philosophy in the University of Missouri, charged that intercollegiate debating, as now conducted in American universities and colleges, is immoral.

Missouri has taken an active interest in interstate debates, and benefits derived therefrom have frequently been emphasized.

Concerning debating, Prof. Lovejoy said: "The establishment of a social science club may in time provide a substitute for our present objectionable system of college and intercollegiate debating. It is unworthy of university men, artificial, insincere, and in the last analysis immoral."

"Its aim is the winning of competition, rather than the establishment of truth; it leads young men who ought to have political and social convictions to adopt the law-creeper attitude toward such matters and to express with simulated ardor opinions which they do not hold or about which they are indifferent."

CHRISTIANS ENTER PROTEST

Insist That United States Is a Christian Country.

Philadelphia, Jan. 22.—The action of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations Wednesday in appointing a committee to spread literature which shall take the position "form a constitutional standpoint" this is not a Christian nation, brought forth a protest yesterday from the joint diocesan lesson committee of the Protestant Episcopal church. The committee unanimously adopted the following resolution:

"Resolved, that the joint diocesan lesson committee desires to place upon records its earnest protest against any statement that this is not a Christian country, and that any efforts to remove from the statutes reference to the use of the words 'the Lord's day' or 'Sunday' should be vigorously opposed by all Christian people, and especially those such as this committee represents, who have the great responsibility of the religious education of the young."

The American Church Sunday School institute, at its annual meeting yesterday, unanimously adopted a similar resolution.

Terrible Tempest in Morocco.

Centa, Morocco, Jan. 22.—A terrible tempest, accompanied by a torrential downpour of rain, raged last night over Northern Morocco, and reports brought in by native runners from the Pimara territory declared that several small villages were overwhelmed and many persons were killed or injured.

The newest methods in optical work at Bard's, Jeweler and Optician.

For Party Calls and Light Livery, see W. M. Recter, 213 W. 4th St. Phone 146.

STRICKEN AT A BANQUET

PHYSICIANS OF SPRINGFIELD KEPT BUSY AMONG SOCIETY LEADERS.

A FUNCTION BY THE SOROSIS LADIES

Viands Were Served at Springfield Club, and Consisted of Oyster Cocktails, Halibut Steak, Baked Turkey, Etc.

Springfield, Mo., Jan. 22.—Following a banquet of the Sorosis club here last afternoon, twenty-five of the leading society women of Springfield were taken violently ill with ptomaine poisoning.

Oyster cocktails or halibut steak served at the banquet is supposed to have been the source of the poison. None of those attacked is dangerously ill, though all suffered acutely because of the attacks.

Physicians having the largest practice in the city were kept on the go last afternoon and evening attending calls resulting from the banquet.

The banquet was served at the Springfield club, and was the affair of the season among local clubwomen.

Several of those stricken are prominent in the State Federation of Women's Clubs, which meets here in May.

Besides oysters and halibut steak, baked turkey and dressing, bouillion, Waldorf salad, celery, olives, lettuce and mayonnaise, cherry ice cream and coffee were served at the banquet.

Gold Coin makes light bread.

DISTINGUISHED WITNESSES

Were Before Federal Grand Jury in Canal Libel Case Today.

Washington, Jan. 22.—Secretary of State Root, Senator Knox, of Pennsylvania, and Assistant Attorney General Charles W. Russell, of the department of justice, were witnesses today before the federal grand jury which is investigating the Panama libel case. The larger part of the morning was taken up by the grand jury listening to the reading by Assistant United States Attorney McNamara, of the various alleged libelous articles published by the newspapers.

WALL PAPER AT SCOTT'S.

WAS NOT TAKING ANY CHANCES.

Why Guest at Banquet Sought Knife That Was Blunt.

A. J. Drexel Biddle, whose original and brilliant mind, coupled with his wealth, youth and high social position, has made him for some years one of Philadelphia's most prominent figures, was talking at York about boxing.

"Every man should know how to box," said Mr. Drexel Biddle, who is one of the best amateur boxers in America. "In the case of attack by pickpockets, or in defense of a lady, indeed in a hundred crises, how deplorably awkward it is to be unable to box."

"The man ignorant of boxing is apt to make a great fool of himself. Ignorance nearly always makes fools of us. I remember a man, ignorant of etiquette, who once sat beside me at a public dinner."

"I noticed that this man, as soon as he was seated, took up one by one the knives at the right of his plate, and began to try their edges on his thumb."

"A waiter behind him leaned forward and said in a hurt tone:

"The knives are all sharp, sir."

"The point is," said my neighbor, "I'm looking for a blunt one. Last time I attended a banquet here I cut my mouth."

AMUSEMENTS.

WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.

The Stanley Stock company played "An American Hero" last night at Wood's opera house to a good audience and all were well pleased. Play tonight, "An Oriental Tragedy," which is one of the very best plays in their repertoire, and has been featured all week and the advance sale of tickets is good and there will be a good house tonight. Special matinee Saturday, when each child will receive a present with the compliments of the management of the Stanley Stock company and Wood's opera house. The play for Saturday night is Richard Mansfield's great production, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which has been featured all week and the advance sale of tickets is good. Sunday night the Stanley Stock company will close their engagement here. "Why Girls Go Wrong" is the play and there should be a packed house.

"The Skillful Mending of Jewelry"

You have often heard it said that really right repairing was a lost art—that the average mending done nowadays was a bungle. Those who bring their jewelry here to be repaired will find unusual facilities and unsurpassed skill. Nor is that all. When the work is finished we subject it to a rigid inspection to make sure it is all right. Your search for faults will be fruitless. Prices as low as the work is good.

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Half Minute Store Talk

Saturday—Children's Day

The school girls and boys holiday the year round. And we are glad so many children mingle with the "grown-ups" in shopping here every day, but particularly on Saturdays. The children are this store's future foundation, and we strive to make lasting impressions upon their young minds by offering values such as these on Saturdays. Let them shop here alone, it is as safe as if you were with them.

"Century" Hose For Children

The famous Topsy Mills product, and universally sold for 15c straight the pair; reinforced soles, heels, toes and knees; extra strong and fast black; 1X1 ribbed. All sizes for boys and girls of all ages. Special Saturday

10c pr Children's Underwear

Odd lots, but practically all sizes are represented; various weights, for present wear—Shirts, Pants and Union Suits. Extra special assortment, at

17 1/2c, 25c, 35c & 50c A Big Lot 1/2 Price At

Children's Coats

Including every Child's Coat in the entire store; new models, in reefers and full length styles, in Red, Green, Brown, Grey, Black, Etc. All are beautifully finished, and trimmed with braids, buttons, folds, velvet collar and cuffs, etc. Choice at

25% Off

Flower-Barnett THE STORE THAT SETS THE PACE 218-220 3rd St. Sedalia, Mo.

THEY ATE WILD TURKEY

Sixteen Guests Enjoyed Hospitality of W. P. Stanley Last Night.

W. Pitkin Stanley was the host at a stag supper at the Elks' club rooms last night, the table being laid for sixteen.

Steward Leist, assisted by Mrs. Leist, excelled themselves in preparing the repast, which consisted of baked wild turkey, cranberry sauce, celery, French peas, lyonnaise potatoes, peach pie a la mode, coffee and champagne punch.

After the repast had been heartily enjoyed by all, a social hour was spent in impromptu talks, songs, stories and vaudeville sketches by Roy Barker.

The occasion was one of the most delightful of several of the same character that have been given this winter. The guests present were:

W. H. Powell, Dr. W. J. Ferguson, H. W. Servant, E. J. Adamson, Harry Hawkins, Al Cordes, John Gallagher, Will Riley, C. C. Evans, Roy Barker, June Harris, George Hall, John W. Byng, W. H. Cloney, G. H. Trader and G. H. Scruton.

AMUSEMENTS.

WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.

The Stanley Stock company played "An American Hero" last night at Wood's opera house to a good audience and all were well pleased. Play tonight, "An Oriental Tragedy," which is one of the very best plays in their repertoire, and has been featured all week and the advance sale of tickets is good and there will be a good house tonight. Special matinee Saturday, when each child will receive a present with the compliments of the management of the Stanley Stock company and Wood's opera house. The play for Saturday night is Richard Mansfield's great production, "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde," which has been featured all week and the advance sale of tickets is good. Sunday night the Stanley Stock company will close their engagement here. "Why Girls Go Wrong" is the play and there should be a packed house.

SEDALIA THEATER.

Nashville Students Sunday. Lowery's Nashville Students and Morgan's Minstrels Combined will be at the Sedalia theatre Sunday, January 24th. This large colored company con-

FARM HAND LOST REASON

LIVED IN COVERED WAGON AND WAS ENGAGED AT TIMES AS LOG HAULER.

HE SUDDENLY BECAME VIOLENTLY INSANE

Lashed His Horses Furiously and Ran Them Distance of Four Miles, Until They Stopped, Completely Exhausted.

A stranger who goes by the name of Hollins, and who has been living in a covered wagon, and working as a farm hand and log hauler in the vicinity of Huntingdale, became suddenly violently insane Tuesday, says the Clinton Democrat.

He had gone in company with some other men to the farm of Dave Byrum for a load of hay, and from all accounts had been in good spirits all day, laughing and talking with his companions while they were at their work.

No one suspected he had any mental derangement, when suddenly he jumped upon his wagon of hay, and, with an oath, called to the others to open the gate. Hollins drove out furiously, lashing his team into a run and holding them at a terrific pace for four miles, until the team stopped exhausted by their long run.

He then jumped from the wagon and ran to Huntingdale, where he was taken charge of by the constable, who phoned to Sheriff Kink, who with his deputy, brought the insane man to Clinton and placed him in the county jail to await the action of the county court.

Hollins left at Huntingdale a fine team of horses and a good wagon, which Mr. Kink will take in charge. When placed in a cell at the jail Hollins talked violently to an imaginary friend over a telephone, telling him that he had been placed in the upper story of the jail at Clinton to protect him from the army and begging the friend to come to his assistance.

Sheriff Kink late Wednesday telegraphed the chief of police at Battle Creek, Mich., where Hollins' relatives are supposed to reside, and is now waiting a reply to his message, so he can determine upon what to do with the property belonging to the insane man.

TO INDICT FORTY MORE

Disquieting Rumor Abroad Causes Sleepless Night Among Council.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 22.—Has somebody "squealed," or are the enemies of councilman candidates trying to scare them? This is the question worrying politicians and councilmen, and will probably cause a sleepless night for many, for the word went out yesterday from one high in the ranks of the contesting political factions, that forty councilmen are "to be grabbed" tomorrow.

The news that the seven councilmen now under indictment on bribery charges may be increased to forty-seven, is spreading dismay among the supporters of the members of select and common council who are candidates for re-election.

While the candidates are putting up as bold a front as possible, there is many a pale face among the crowd of aspirants. The assertion, it is feared, will prove anything but an idle boast.

Properly fitted eye-glasses at Bard's, Jeweler and Optician.

Are Your Shoes Run Down?



So Are Our Bargain Basement Prices.

This is one of the times when it pays you to investigate. The contrast between value and price here will surprise you.

See that you get your share.

Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes for.....1.48
Women's \$3.00 and \$3.50 Shoes for.....2.48
Women's \$2.00 and \$2.50 Shoes for.....1.48
Boys' \$2.25 and \$2.50 Shoes for.....1.69
Misses' \$2.00 and \$2.25 Shoes for.....1.48
Children's \$1.25 to \$1.50 Shoes for.....98c
Children's 75c and \$1.00 Shoes for.....48c

QUINN BROS. BARGAIN BASEMENT

Entrance in Center of Store.

MENEFEE'S Elective Lump Coal, Per Ton \$3.50

Once used, always used. We also have several hundred tons of Illinois Coal. Special prices on two-ton lots.

Payday week we will give a souvenir with every order for Groceries, Feed or Fuel, amounting to \$2.00 or more. Quality of goods guaranteed and money refunded if not satisfied.

Best soft wheat flour, per cwt.....\$2.45
Best hard wheat flour that money can buy, per cwt.....\$2.75
One bushel choice potatoes.....85c
Three cans tomatoes and corn.....25c
One pound 25c coffee.....20c
One pound 20c coffee.....15c
Fresh side meat, per pound.....12 1/2c
One gallon bucket syrup.....35c

We have the largest and best stock of hay, straw, grain and mill feeds in the city.

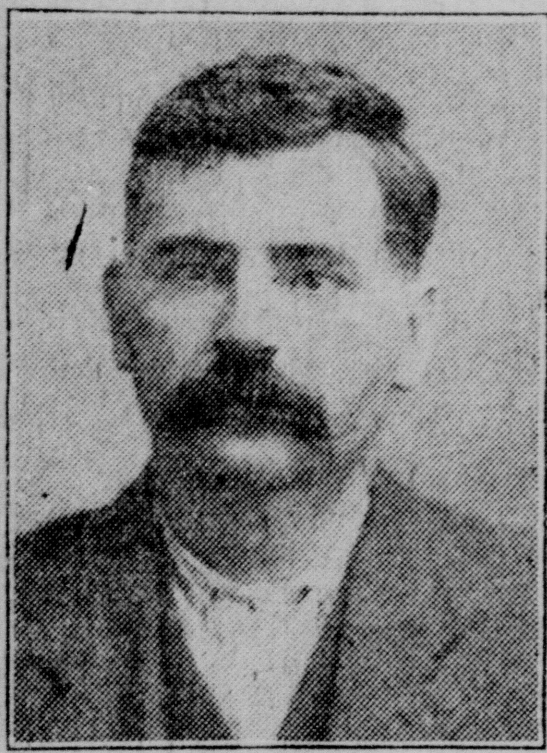
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BRIGHT'S DISEASE.



MR. T. E. HAMMOCK.

Mr. Hammock is a gentleman 35 years of age. He is an old resident of this county, residing near Beaman, Mo., engaged in farming, and has the respected confidence of all who know him. He was suffering from that dangerous malady known as Bright's disease, which manifests itself by such a multitude of symptoms so that its victim has no knowledge of his true condition until he is on the verge of complete breakdown. It is like a thief at night that steals upon his victim and fastens its terrible fangs upon the vital organs, but by our Modern Americanized European Method we were able to overcome his difficulties, and he is indeed very thankful for what we have done for him:

Dr. Camp Medical Co. Gentlemen: I cannot praise your modern method of treatment too highly for the great good it has accomplished in my case, for I now realize that I was about all in when I began with you some time ago. I was almost a total wreck; my back pained me terribly and my nerves were all unstrung and I almost became despondent at times, but thanks to your Wonderful Advanced Method, I have gained 15 pounds in weight and feel like a new man. I will be glad to answer all communications in regard to my case. Yours truly,
T. E. HAMMOCK, Beaman, Mo.

CONSUMPTION.



MISS GRACE POTTOIRFF.

Miss Pottoirff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pottoirff, who are very influential citizens and stand high in the community in which they reside. Having previously lost both their son and daughter from the great White Plague—"Consumption," they became alarmed for the health of their remaining daughter, and sought our aid none too soon, for on the examination, we found her suffering from all the symptoms of the early stages of Consumption, with the ever present germs of that disease invading her system. We are most happy to state that we were able to overcome this condition by our Famous Inhalatorium Treatment, combined with a special course of our systematic medication. Miss Pottoirff is now out of danger and has gained some 14 pounds in weight. She is a very deserving young lady, and we wish her many happy years to come.

Dr. Camp Medical Co. Dear Doctor: It is with a feeling of sincerest gratitude that I express to you my warmest appreciation for the great benefit I have received from taking your Modern Inhalatorium Treatment. It is certainly a pleasure to recommend your advanced methods to all those who suffer from throat and lung troubles. Some months ago I was troubled with a bad cough and as both my sister and brother had died with that terrible disease, consumption, my parents became very anxious about my condition and placed me in your care. The results are certainly most satisfactory, for I am happy and well, and shall never cease to praise your Wonderful Treatment.

GRACE POTTOIRFF,
R. R. No. 2, Green Ridge, Mo.
OFFICE 225- OHIO ST., SEDALIA, MO.

RUMBLINGS OF THE RAIL

ELECTRIC LINE FROM LEXINGTON TO WARRENSBURG, VIA HIGGINSVILLE.

COACH CAB AND CABOOSE ITEMS

Matters of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of Democrat-Sentinel Readers.

Capt. M. L. Belt, who has been promoting a project to build an electric line from Higginsville to Warrensburg, has revised his plans and will try to extend the line on to Lexington, says the Lexington News.

He was up from Higginsville Tuesday to talk over his project with some of Lexington's business men, and in discussing his plans with a News representative expressed a positive belief that the money would be forthcoming to build the road just as soon as arrangements could be completed for securing the right-of-way between this point and Higginsville, provided Lexington will do her part towards subscribing for stock in the enterprise.

The survey has been completed, right-of-way secured, and a sufficient bonus offered to construct the road from Higginsville to Warrensburg, but Capt. Belt desires to extend the line to this city, and we hope he will receive a glad hand and generous support from our business people.

Railway connections other than the Sedalia branch would be of untold advantage to this town, and an electric line extending from here to Warrensburg would give us connection with the C. & A. and the main line of the Missouri Pacific.

By all means, let Lexington help push this electric line proposition. We need it, more than any other territory it will traverse on the entire route.

Orders Suit Against Katy.

The Texas railroad commission, through Chairman Mayfield and Commissioner Storey, has issued an order to the attorney-general to bring suit against the M. K. & T. railroad for penalties for alleged violation of the commission's regulations governing the operation of passenger trains No. 4 and No. 204 at the station of Hillsboro for the month between Nov. 23 and Dec. 23 is made the basis of the order.

During that period the road, it is alleged, committed twenty-four offenses against the commission's order, which prescribes that railroads shall operate their trains in accordance with advertised schedule as to time of arrival and departure, a wait of thirty minutes being allowed under the rules.

For each offense, if found guilty, the road is subject to a fine of \$5,000. There are twenty-six offenses charged for the month ending Dec. 23, therefore the penalties that will be sued for will aggregate \$130,000.

Just a Family Affair, This Is.

In a current number of the Railroad Man's Magazine appears a full page illustration of a section crew that it is decidedly out of the ordinary, as it is composed of a father and five sons.

This section is on the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, at Hooke, S. D., and the section foreman's name is Nels Johnson, and he has been in charge of the section since 1897, and in the employ of the maintenance of way department for more than twenty-five years.

This is not all his family by any means, as aside from the five sons shown he has two other sons and four daughters. He is listed as one of the solid citizens of the community in which he lives and owns one of the finest farms in South Dakota.

"Pennys's" New Rail Order.

The Pennsylvania has made public the specifications according to which the 135,500 tons of rails for 1909 delivery are to be rolled. The new specifications are a revision of those of February 4, 1908.

The changes consist of the addition of a second classification of the chemical composition of open hearth rails, and a number of modifications of the rules for tests and inspection. The manufacturers who will roll the new rails are: Illinois Steel company and Carnegie Steel company, 62,500 tons; Cambria Steel company, 25,000 tons; Pennsylvania Steel company, 25,000 tons; Lackawanna Steel company, 13,000 tons.

TO TRADE.

A good house in Kansas City, Mo., 7 rooms, modern, to trade for Sedalia property or farm with small encumbrance.

Good 7-room house, Des Moines, Ia., to trade par value. What have you?
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000 tons, and Bethlehem Steel company, 10,000 tons.

Was Awarded \$5,000 Damages.

The \$10,000 damage case of P. F. Dresie of this city, against the Rock Island Railway company was tried at Hermann, before Hon. R. S. Ryors, judge of the Gasconade county circuit court, and resulted in a verdict for plaintiff in the sum of \$5,000, says the Versailles Leader.

It will be remembered that Captain P. F. Dresie, while in the employ of the Rock Island, met with a severe accident in April, 1907. It was his duty to pump water into the large tank near the station and while at work upon the engine of the company he had his right arm crushed and broken, which called for its amputation later.

He sued the company at first in the federal court, but this case was dismissed and another brought in Gasconade county.

Injured at the Shops.

Carl Johnson, a Missouri Pacific blacksmith apprentice, had his right leg broken between the knee and ankle and sustained a painful laceration of the left foot while at work at the new shops at 9 o'clock this morning.

He was employed near the steam crane, when a huge piece of steel was thrown against him, resulting in the injuries stated.

The M. K. & T. ambulance was summoned and the injured man was taken to the company hospital and tonight will be taken to the Missouri Pacific hospital at St. Louis.

No Successor Yet Named.

James Riey, who has for a long time been electrical engineer for the Katy system, and whose resignation was forecast some time ago in the Herald, has gone to McAlester, Ok., where he has a position with the McAlester Light & Power company, says the Denison Herald.

No successor has yet been named, but it is believed that it will be R. R. Rickett, who has been in the electrical department of the Katy for several years.

Train Waits for Stork.

A Frisco passenger train was held up fifteen minutes at Sapulpa, Ok., Wednesday, when the stork called on the wife of "Forty-Four" Brown, an Indian, and gave her a boy.

The woman had been in the city to do some trading and started home. She got to the depot only a few minutes before the train was due.

Automatic Couplers.

Clyde Barker, a Katy brakeman, is taking a lay off to rest.

Missouri Pacific train No. 2 was run in two sections this morning.

Edward Kent, a Missouri Pacific machinist, went to Kansas City this morning.

George Brittendall, division lineman for the Missouri Pacific, made a business visit at Tipton today.

E. M. Dennis, Missouri Pacific train master, was a westbound passenger on the fast mail train today.

W. B. Shirk, commercial agent for the Missouri Pacific, made a business visit at Warrensburg today.

J. W. McClain, city passenger and ticket agent for the Missouri Pacific, went to Booneville today on business.

Al Bryan, a Missouri Pacific telegrapher, has been appointed yard telegrapher, vice A. W. Spicer, deceased. W. H. Hall, assistant superintendent of telegraph for the Katy, left today.

SALOON THOUGHT NO. 59.

It is a fact that 100,000 fill drunkards' graves every year in the United States. This shows how vitally this trade strikes at the very foundation of the wealth of our country. If there was some method whereby we could get at the ACTUAL amount of loss of life from the liquor traffic every year in the United States, it would be appalling. Thousands of men who are "MODERATE DRINKERS" take pneumonia, or typhoid fever and die, whereas if they did not drink they would have lived. Any well read doctor knows what he has to contend with when he has a drinking patient to take pneumonia or typhoid fever or tuberculosis. They are most certainly to die as they are to take it. Just ask any well read physician about this point. Over 2,500 children were smothered to death last year by drunken mothers. If all deaths could be accurately traced to alcohol, it is not out of reason to say that our government is guilty of licensing a curse that causes as many deaths as the recent earthquake in Italy. While the HOMES are not shaken down, more homes are ruined by this trade every year in the United States. And this is a "Christian nation," too.

THE DRYS.

Chasnoffs

WEATHER.

Sedalia, Mo., Jan. 22.—Showers tonight or Saturday; cooler west portion Saturday.

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Big
Saturday
In
Our
Great
January
Clearing
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last night for a business visit in Texas.

Charles Gorrell, an M. K. & T. switchman at Clinton, attended the trainmen's ball last night, and returned to work this morning.

Missouri Pacific train No. 9 was brought here by a "double-header" this morning. Engines Nos. 35 and 6501 were utilized for the work.

L. C. Redmon, assistant general foreman of the Missouri Pacific telegraph department, left this afternoon for a business visit at Hoisington, Kan.

A. H. Joline, president of the M. K. & T. system, and party, will pass through Sedalia tonight on a special train, en route from Texas to St. Louis.

R. H. Beard, a Missouri Pacific conductor, has moved his family from Jefferson City to 710 South Osage avenue, this city, and reported for work today on trains Nos. 93 and 94.

G. W. Smith, of St. Louis, superintendent of machinery for the Missouri Pacific, arrived in a special car attached to train No. 9 this morning and made a visit at the shops during the forenoon.

T. J. Robb, a messenger for the Pacific Express Co., went out on the Lexington branch train this afternoon in place of Messenger John Glover, who is off from work on account of the illness of his father.

John Hull, a Missouri Pacific conductor, went to Jefferson City last night to assume Conductor Patterson's run on the River route, after temporarily holding down Conductor Beard's run on Nos. 93 and 94.

D. Bowes, chief assistant general passenger agent for the Toledo, St. Louis and Western railway, and Frank A. O'Brien, traveling passenger agent for the same road, both of St. Louis, are here today on business.

Making Pies—use White Ribbon.

Haskell Issues a Statement.

Muskogee, Ok., Jan. 22.—Governor Haskell issued a statement today explaining his connection with the Indian territory town lot controversy which the federal grand jury will investigate next week. The governor attributes the controversy to reports made by agents of W. R. Hearst, who, he says, has been trying to have him indicted.

We guarantee the "Atlas" flour to be as good as Vigorol.

SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGARS, 10c.

CROWDED INFIRMARY BURNS

Twelve Hurt By Fire In An Ohio County Hospital.

Canfield, O., Jan. 22.—Fire of unknown origin last afternoon destroyed the men's building of the Mahoning county infirmary here, and twelve of the aged inmates received burns more or less serious.

The men were endeavoring to check the fire at the foot of a stairway when a shift in the wind suddenly drove a sheet of flame down upon them.

They crawled to safety and were taken to the infirmary hospital. The fire loss will be \$30,000. The infirmary is divided into three sections, composed of the men's department, the women's and the administration building. The women's building and the office building were far enough away to be out of danger.

There are 245 inmates at the institution.

TRUST METHODS AT U. OF C?

Professor Charges Hold-Out of Salary to Prevent Resignation.

Chicago, Jan. 22.—Hearing a suit brought by Prof. Edward Capps for \$833.33 back salary, alleged to be due him from the University of Chicago, began yesterday before Municipal Judge Wells.

Prof. Capps charged on the witness stand that Standard Oil trust methods hold sway at the university and that it "holds out" one-third of each professor's salary each year to prevent his resignation.

The assertion of the professor came within twenty-four hours after an announcement that John D. Rockefeller had made a new gift of \$1,000,000 to the university.

MAY DROP TRAINING TABLE

But Nebraska University Athletic Board Doesn't Favor It.

Lincoln, Neb., Jan. 22.—The athletic board of Nebraska University is not in favor of abolishing the football training table, as proposed by certain members of the Missouri valley conference.

The board met in special session last night and instructed its delegates to the conference next week in Des Moines to vote for the continuation of the table. No action was taken on the summer baseball matter.

The election of Nebraska's conference delegate resulted in a tie between Prof. Phillips and Dr. Clapp, and the board will hold another session today in an effort to name a delegate.

JUROR'S WIFE APPROACHED

Attempt to Learn Attitude in Patrick Calhoun Bribery Case.

San Francisco, Jan. 22.—Howard T. Black, one of the talesmen, brought about a sensation in the Patrick Calhoun bribery trial yesterday by informing the court that his wife was approached Wednesday by a man who sought to ascertain his opinion concerning the case.

Francis J. Heney immediately demanded an investigation, declaring that every agent of the district attorney's office had been instructed to keep away from the homes of the prospective jurors, under pain of dismissal and punishment for contempt of court.

SMOKE GOLDEN ROD CIGARS, 10c.

POLICE CONFISCATE LIQUOR

Raided Place and Arrested Keeper and Frequenters.

Kansas City, Jan. 22.—The house at 1017 Oak street was raided by the police last night, and William Norris, keeper of the place, together with eighteen frequenters, were taken to No. 1 station. Sergeant Edward McNamara and two plain clothes men, Ben Sanderson and Carl Himman, made the arrests.

Norris was charged with keeping a disorderly house and selling liquor without a license. Three cases of beer, with a number of bottles containing wine, gin and whisky, were confiscated. The bond for Norris was fixed at \$51 and for the frequenters at \$6 a piece.

McLAUGHLIN BROS.' January Discount Sale

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ONCE MORE FOR MR. BRYAN

Friend Says He Will Make Another Effort for Presidency.

Atlanta, Ga., Jan. 22.—"Take my word for it, you will have another chance to vote for Bryan for president."

This is the statement of Silas H. Burnham, president of the First National bank, of Lincoln, Neb., who is in Atlanta.

Burnham continued: "I am not for Bryan politically. In common with other bankers I can't agree with his financial views."

"But he is not dead; he took his recent defeat just as he took his other defeats, gracefully. He seems to have hypnotized a great majority of the democrats of the country with his striking and charming personality. He will be nominated again. When first nominated Bryan was penniless. Now he is a rich man, and he's coming again, and coming strong."

White Ribbon Flour for biscuits.

THE FANCY WORK CLUB

Of the South Side Was Entertained By Mrs. Carter Rucker.

Mrs. Carter Rucker, Sixteenth street and Osage avenue, entertained the members of the South Side Fancy Work club at her home Thursday afternoon, and last night was hostess to the husbands of the club members.

Various amusements were provided and all had a pleasant time.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Rhodes, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Settles, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Settles, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mettersheimer, Miss Carrie Settles, John Anderson, Mesdames Haggerty and Cheatham and Mr. Benjamin Gorrell.

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Chicago

MITCHELL IS TO SPEAK

Before the Child Labor Conference in Chicago

Chicago, Jan. 22.—John Mitchell, vice president of the American Federation of Labor, who was recently convicted of contempt of court, is not in bad standing with the humanitarians and educators of the country.

He has been invited to address the national child labor conference tonight, and will take for his subject,

"The Trade Union's War on Child Labor."

The topic this afternoon is "Child Labor a Menace to National Health."

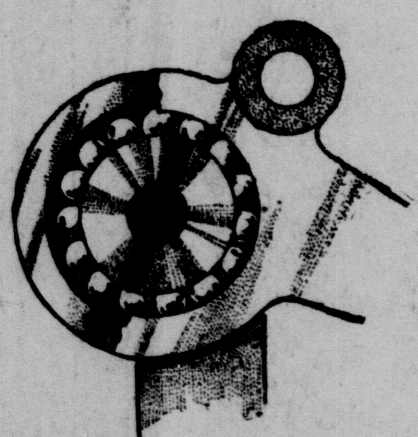
Gold Coin always makes good bread.

Surprise Booked for Tonight.

Mrs. Grace Roe will be initiated into Queen City Grove No. 1, Woodmen Circle, at tonight's meeting. During the session a surprise will be tendered to an officer of the circle, but the Democrat-Sentinel is not permitted to announce the details.

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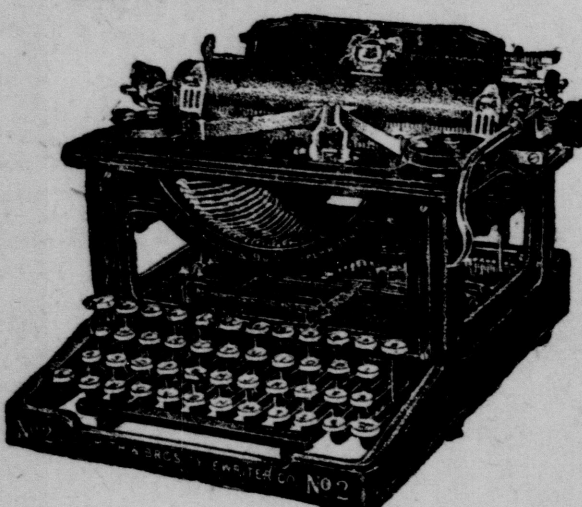
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GOOD MAN NOT TO PICK QUARREL WITH

Irishman by Birth, Quiet in Repose, but a Veritable Lion When Once Aroused by Journalistic Rivals.

New York, Jan. 22.—Today is the sixty-first anniversary of the birth of William M. Laffan, editor and publisher of the New York Sun. In the little old red brick building where Dana once held forth as the chief, Laffan now holds the fort and directs the policy of a newspaper which long ago became a national institution.

Here, in a pigmy edifice that looks like a rude hovel beside its towering neighbors of the Tribune and the World, Laffan writes those sarcastic editorials that have given the Sun international fame and branded its editor, in the minds of contemporaries, as a good man to let alone.

Laffan is an Irishman by birth and inclination. Quiet and peaceful in repose, a lover of artistic and beautiful things, he shows the fighting qualities of his race when aroused. Then his motto becomes that of the Donnybrook fair—"When you see a head, hit it." And whether flippantly dismissing the criticisms of a contemporary or "presenting his compliments" to a president of the United States, he is equally in his element.

Dublin was the birthplace of Mr. Laffan; January 22, 1848, the date. He was educated in the Irish metropolis. Coming to America as a youth, he began his career as a newspaper man at the tender age of 19. In 1872 he married Georgiana Ratcliffe, the daughter of Judge Daniel Ratcliffe, of Baltimore. He is an authority on fine arts, architecture and ceramics, and was art editor of the Sun during the Dana regime.

In a recent magazine article, Will Irwin, formerly of the Sun staff, writes of Laffan as follows:

"For seven years Laffan, the publisher, has stood in Dana's place. From the time when he came on as art critic he was the best of friends with 'the old man,' as the Sun will know Dana until his generation is dead. Their lunches in the office, alone with the office cat, were an institution in the old days.

Laffan served his time in many capacities. He was business manager when he took over the publication of the paper. The world knows him best, perhaps, for those little sarcastic editorials which stick like burrs under the collars of the Sun's enemies. One traces him, too, in the fighting capacity of the Sun editorial page, which makes other newspapers dread to get into a war with the Sun as greyhounds, bloodhounds, retrievers and spaniels avoid trouble with a bull terrier. He is a pugnacious Irishman, whose words carry darts when he speaks, a lover of all the arts and a collector in one."

TOOK HINT TO END LIVES

Socialist-Suffragette Tells Idle to Kill Themselves.

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 22.—"Commit suicide if you are out of work."

This, in effect, was the advice Miss Laura Burke, graduate of Notre Dame university, gave 500 unemployed men. Two of them tried it. B. J. McMaster swallowed morphine and Frank Peters used carbolic acid, but they will recover.

Miss Burke created somewhat of a sensation when she declared:

"The only way to solve the present awful condition of the unemployed is by taking an overdose of chloral, and yet if the unemployed men today committed suicide it would not completely solve the problem.

"In a few years there would be another vast army of unemployed."

Miss Burke was served with notice by the authorities that no more such advice would be tolerated. She is a suffragette and a socialist.

YALE SWIMMING CONTEST

Will Go to Providence for a Contest With Brown University

New Haven, Conn., Jan. 22.—Captain Richards and his swimming team will go to Providence tomorrow,

where the Eli's intercollegiate swimming schedule will begin with a contest with the aquatic team of Brown university.

Other dates on the Yale swimming schedule are as follows: February 13, College of the City of New York, at New York; February 27, Harvard at Brookline; March 6, Princeton at Princeton; March 3, Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; March 20, Columbia at New Haven, and March 27, Intercollegiate championship at New York.

Officers Are Installed.

M. V. Carroll installed the officers-elect of Sedalia camp of the Modern Woodmen of America at Thursday night's meeting.

A SPEED EVENT TONIGHT

ALBERT COREY IS TO CONTEST WITH DORANDO THE ITALIAN, IN CHICAGO.

FORMER LEAVES RANKS OF AMATEURS

Next Tuesday "Tom" Longboat, the Indian, Will Test Conclusions With Alfred Shrubbs, the English Sprinter.

New York, Jan. 22.—The next few days may bring important developments in the professional Marathon runners' championship. At Chicago tonight Albert Corey, a former amateur, will engage in a speed and endurance contest with Dorando, the Italian runner, who recently lost the championship title to Tom Longboat, after wresting it from Johnny Hayes. Next Tuesday night the Indian champion, Longboat, will test conclusions with Alfred Shrubbs, the speedy Englishman.

If Corey should vanquish the Italian in tonight's encounter at Chicago, he will be in line to meet the winner of next Tuesday's race. Should he fail, however, next week's event is likely to prove decisive, so far as the Marathon championship is concerned. Shrubbs recently made an extraordinary showing in a relay race in this city, and there are many who profess doubts of Longboat's ability to defend his title against the Britisher.

As the matter stands today, the United States, Canada and Great Britain apparently have a chance to secure or retain the Marathon honors. Italy is out of the game, as Dorando has been given two opportunities against Longboat and has failed to take the measure of the fleetfooted Indian.

American's chances are centered in Albert L. Corey, the Chicago runner, who will tonight sacrifice his amateur standing by racing against Dorando. While Dorando is down and out as a champion, the man who beats him will have a mighty big following in a championship race, and it is up to Corey to defend Uncle Sam's honors tonight.

While Corey has never before run as a professional, he won the last Illinois Athletic club Marathon, defeating a field of eighty. In addition, he ran second in the St. Louis Marathon, and was defeated in a long-distance race at Yonkers, N. Y., by John J. Hayes only after having run two miles off the course. Hayes, it will be remembered, won the Marathon at the Louisville Olympic games.

The pavilion where the race will be held is said to be ideal for such an event. The track will practically be a circle, doing away with sharp turns and giving every spectator an unobstructed view of the runners at all times.

The affair is under the management of two well known sporting men, Lou M. Houseman and James J. Callahan, manager of the Logan Square baseball team of Chicago.

Shrubbs will not lack backers when he races Longboat in Madison Square garden next Tuesday night. His wonderful running in the twelve-mile relay race in the garden convinced the experts that when Longboat tackles him records will be smashed in wholesale style.

Shrubbs, for ten miles, at least, is undoubtedly the fastest man in the world. He possesses remarkable endurance and phenomenal sprinting ability.

Longboat's two victories over Dorando have caused him to be regarded as a high class long distance man, but experts say that both Dorando and Hayes have been overrated, and that neither of them would stand a ghost of a chance in a Marathon race with Shrubbs.

While the Englishman has made a specialty of five, ten and fifteen mile races, he has traveled some long distances, and is credited with some fast time for twenty-five miles out of doors.

Shrubbs was so fresh after running twelve miles recently that he looked as if he could have gone the Marathon distance without exhausting himself. He ran the last lap like a hundred-yard sprinter, and his great speed caused old-timers to open their eyes. Some of the veterans who held watches and clocked Shrubbs while he was running at top speed, said he ran about 100 yards in better than twelve seconds, and that he did this after he had gone eight miles.

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FOOTBALL TEAM COMING

The Australian Rugby Eleven Sails From Liverpool.

Liverpool, Jan. 22.—Among the passengers on the steamer Arabic, sailing for New York from Liverpool today, are the members of the Australian Rugby football team.

They will spend a week in New York, and will probably play several games in that city.

The players will then proceed to San Francisco and Los Angeles, and as the Rugby game is popular on the Pacific coast, they will likely engage in many contests before sailing for home on February 26.

A CONFERENCE OF BOYS

Notable Educators and Clergymen Are Present.

Lewiston, Me., Jan. 22.—Several hundred boys will take part in the fourth annual Maine State Conference of Boys, to be held in this city and Auburn during the next three days. The sessions commenced today, the list of speakers including some of the

most notable educators and clergymen of this and other New England states.

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Dresden, Jan. 22.—Dresden is to day the center of attraction for all musical Europe, owing to the fact that its famous opera house will tonight be the scene of the first performance of "Electra."

The king of Saxony, his family and the entire court will be present, and Strauss, the composer, will be given a place in the royal box.

Managers of nearly all the great opera houses of Europe are here. Cosima Wagner and son, Siegfried, will occupy a box. Scores of music-loving Americans have engaged seats.

The scenery of the new opera house has been prepared on a magnificent scale and will surely please the most blasé opera goers.

All of the costumes and architecture are true to that heroic period in which the story of the opera is laid.

It is said that in "Electra," as in "Salome," there is not a single passage that might be called a popular air. For this reason, "Electra" will never be played on a hand organ or whistled in the street.

The orchestra tonight consists of 130 pieces, and every player is an artist. This orchestra breaks all records as being the largest ever heard in grand opera.

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NEW DIRECTOR OF MUSIC

Bertram E. Riggs Succeeds Glenn Woods at Humboldt School.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 22.—At the meeting of the school board at its rooms in the public library last night, the resignation of Prof. Glenn Woods, formerly of Sedalia, but for some time past director of music at the Humboldt school, was accepted.

In his place was appointed Bertram E. Riggs, formerly of Fort Smith, Ark., who will assume the directorship next Monday.

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Virgil Kelly, a Central Business college student, was fined \$50 by Police Judge H. M. Gresham today for carrying a concealed weapon. He made arrangements to pay the fine.

Kelly told the Democrat-Sentinel that he took the weapon from a friend last night and removed the cartridges to keep the latter from getting into trouble. While he had the weapon on his person some "friend" gave the police a "tip" to that effect and his arrest followed.

Examination of the eyes by an expert optician at Bard's, Jeweler and Optician.

CUE ARTISTS GET BUSY

BIG BILLIARD EVENTS ARE TO BE PULLED OFF NEXT TWO MONTHS.

SUTTON AND SLOSSON FIRST TO MEET

They Will Start the Balls Rolling at the Concert Garden of Madison Square Garden Tuesday Evening.

New York, Jan. 22.—New York is this week the Mecca of many cue artists who are gathering to witness or participate in the many big billiard events to be pulled off in the next two months.

George Sutton and George Slosson will set the ball rolling in the concert garden of Madison Square Garden next Tuesday night, when they will play a match involving the 18.1 balking championship of the world. Sutton and Slosson are now rounding into shape and both express a great deal of confidence.

Other events on the program include a tournament to revive the 18.2 championship; amateur tournaments, at three cushions, and the annual tournament of the National Association of Amateur Billiard Players the latter of February or early in March.

The 18.2 tournament will begin at Madison Square Garden March 22. The contestants will be limited to six, each of whom must pay an entrance fee of \$100. Prize money amounting to \$3,000 is offered, and to this sum will be added the entrance money and net gate receipts, all of which will be divided among the players who finish first, second, third and fourth, the proportions being 50, 25, 15 and 10 per cent.

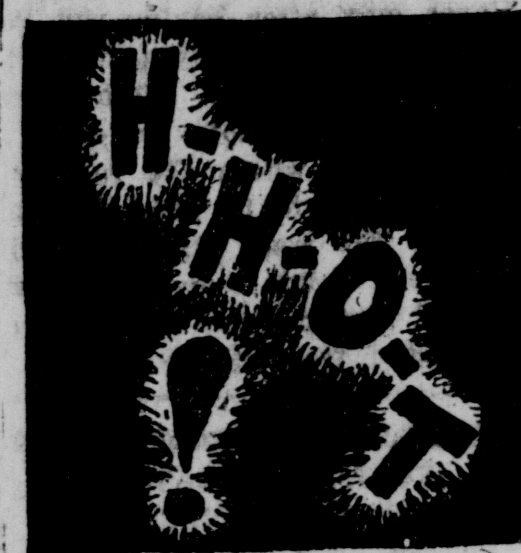
Tournament games will be of 400 points and ties must be played off. To the winner of first prize will be awarded a trophy emblematic of the championship of the world, which he will be required to defend according to the rules heretofore governing such title. Before the tournament opens the players about to engage in it will be asked to determine whether or not championship matches shall be of one, two or more night's duration.

Assured entrants are George Sutton, George F. Slosson, and Calvin Demarest. Among other probable competitors are Ora Morningstar, Harry Cline and A. G. Cutler. Willie Hoppe is eligible, but is not a probable entrant.

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Children Light Three Kegs of Powder—Three Will Die.

Johnstown, Pa., Jan. 22.—Four children were burned, three of them fatally, yesterday, when one of them ignited three kegs of powder to see the "puff" at Stoughton, near here.

The explosion also wrecked a large double frame house, which took fire and threatened to cremate the children. All of the children, who were foreigners, were mutilated, two of them having their eyes burned out.

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Mrs. McEniry's Card Party.

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SCHOOL TEACHER IN ARMS

Edict Prohibits Young Women From Attending Dances.

Mount Vernon, Ill., Jan. 22.—There is consternation in the ranks of the dance-loving teachers of the Mount Vernon public schools on account of a prohibitive edict issued by the board against dancing.

The board believes the teachers cannot do justice to their school work and attend dances.

Ask for "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c.

Announcement.

I wish to announce that instead of my being with Dr. Tucker I have an office next to Dr. Tucker on the same floor over Third National bank building.—Dr. W. F. Bailey.

Serve Lunch and Tea.

Ladies of St. Patrick's church will serve a 15-cent merchants' lunch at noon Saturday, January 23, at Mrs. Monahan-Collier's, 217 Ohio street. Tea will be served in the afternoon and evening. The public invited.

SMOKE MO. STATE FAIR CIGARS 5c

Many Perish in Gold Mine.

Johannesburg, Jan. 22.—Ten white men and 150 natives were drowned today in the Witwaters Rand gold

Semi-Monthly Bake Sale.

The ladies of the First Baptist church will hold their semi-monthly bake sale at Scott's Book Store Saturday, the 23d.

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The shop's exterior was tempting
and I entered, to find some indifferent
mahogany littered about a severe
manly lady who stood framed in an
extremely interesting interior. I
noted the disposition of things and
was preparing to leave, having just
replaced something on the shelf where
it belonged, when the lady said "That
will be ten cents."

"Thank you; I really couldn't use
it," I replied, edging away for the
door.

"But the charge is ten cents," she
added, coldly, moving nearer.

"So I understand," said I, skillfully
maneuvering for a hurried but digni-
fied exit.

"The admission to the store is ten
cents," she put in here, with chilly
distinctness, outflanking me.

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from Sedalia; five room house, barn,
good orchard, 50 acres prairie hay,
75 acres in cultivation, balance pas-
ture; price \$4,000.—W. H. Beach,
Katie building Sedalia, Missouri.

ASTONISHED BY THE GIRAFFE.

Frenchmen Were Slow to Admit Ex-
istence of the Animal.

Dr. Johnson, as is well known, re-
fused for many months to believe in
the Lisbon earthquake, and Parisians
formerly were just as skeptical as to
the existence of the giraffe, a new
specimen of which had just been
added to the Jardin des Plantes. The
earliest specimen of these gentle crea-
tures was seen in Paris in the reign
of Louis XVI. We learn from a French
contemporary that the giraffe was
first heard of in 1787, when it was de-
scribed by a Frenchman named Levail-
lant, who had journeyed in the lands
of the Hottentots and Kaffirs. When
the explorer referred to the animals
with the long necks he was looked
upon as a Munchausen and told that
he was such in not the politest lan-
guage. It was only when some living
specimens arrived in the French cap-
ital that Levailant's reputation for
veracity was re-established, and then
the animals for a long time formed
the sensation of Paris, not only among
the multitude, but in all scientific cir-
cles.

Chinese Taxes.

The Chinese government, while it
collects a part of its revenue from
customs, relies largely upon the prov-
inces to supply revenue, and arbitrar-
ily names each year the sum
which each province must supply,
leaving to the officers of that province
the methods by which this is ob-
tained. The consequence is that each
province is permitted to collect a tax
on goods entering it from adjacent
provinces and this custom has been
extended to the subdivision of the
provinces, so that goods in transit are
frequently compelled to pay taxes
every few miles. As a consequence,
the interior taxes, known as "likin"
become not only the terror of im-
porters, but sometimes almost pro-
hibitory.

Squabbling the Cause of It.

A magistrate who has taken upon
himself the difficult task of adjusting
domestic troubles says that petty
squabbles break up more homes than
affinities ever could. He has no
mercy for wife-beaters and is skepti-
cal concerning the influence of so-
called soulmates on the average mid-
dle class household, which he stoutly
maintains is moral. In the strongest
terms he condemns nagging and
squabbling and sounds a warning
against the effects of overwork. He is
not the only person who believes that
in ordinary cases of faithlessness the
cause can be found in a cloudy home
atmosphere. Bickering is shamefully
common and the causes too trivial to
give an excuse for wasting breath.

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Ladies! Ask your Druggist for
Chichester's Diamond Brand
Pills in Red and Gold metallic
boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon.
Take no other. Buy of your
Druggist, or for CATHARTIC PILLS, for 25
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For Rent—Five room cottage, fur-
nished, reasonable. Address "G," this
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with or without board. 116½ East
Fifth street.

For Rent—Two front rooms, fur-
nished for light housekeeping. 605
South Engineer.

Farm for Rent—250 acre farm for
rent or sale; known as the B. G.
Lewis farm, near Mora.—Shultz &
Herold, agents.

For Rent—Six room modern cot-
tage, 410 East Third; 7 room house
1210 E. Eleventh.—The Landmann
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For Rent—Six room house; strictly
modern, gas and electric lights; hot
and cold bath; furnace heat; in good
neighborhood; reasonable.—A. D.
Stanley, Democrat-Sentinel office.

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Lost—18 carat plain gold band ring.
Return to this office. Reward.

Lost—Small milk neck piece, ex-
terior on Third or Wilkerson. Return
to this office.

Lost—Ladies' Elgin watch, gold
case, with safety and locket. Mono-
gram, "B. N. T." on back and baby's
picture in locket. Return here for
reward.

GIVES 75 BABIES AWAY

Consignment of Infants From New
York Reaches New Orleans.

New Orleans, La., Jan. 22.—A car
load of seventy-five babies was dis-
tributed in New Orleans yesterday.

The precious freight came from
the New York Foundling and Orphan
asylum. Scores of foster parents
were waiting at the station to claim
little ones for whom they had pre-
viously applied.

"Vigoral" has the reputation of be-
ing the best. "Atlas" is just as good.

**Wilcox's Cold and
La Grippe Tablets**

As the name implies, these tablets
are expressly for colds and GRIPPE.
They break up a heavy cold in a
very few hours, warding off serious
complications, relieving headaches,
bone pains and neuralgia caused by
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A quick action, though not drastic—
the cold is broken up and the malarial
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THE "MARATHON WALTZ"

IT IS THE NEWEST THING AND
WILL BE SEEN IN NEW
YORK TONIGHT.

"BIG TIM" SULLIVAN TO ACT AS REFEREE

Prize of \$100 to the Winning Couple
—The Distance Will Be Fifty
Laps Over the Terrace
Garden Course.

New York, Jan. 22.—The newest
thing is the Marathon waltz, which
will be seen for the first time in pub-
lic at the Hesper club's annual ball
in Palace garden tonight. The dis-
tance will be fifty laps over the Ter-
race garden course.

"Big Tim" Sullivan will act as re-
feree and the officials will be the
same as those who acted at the re-
cent Longboat-Dorando race in Mad-
ison Square garden. A prize of \$100
in gold to the winning couple will
be given by "Big Tim," who will
also distribute about \$250 in other
events.

As each couple enters the event a
number will be attached to the gen-
tleman masquerader. As he and his
companion whirl by the judges' stand
on each lap registrations will be
made. It is intended that the couple
who complete the full fifty laps first,
after complying with the rules, will
be declared the winners.

The Marathon craze in the metrop-
olis has also resulted in the "Mar-
athon cocktail," which is now being
mixed by the bartender of a famous
east side saloon. It is said to have
the quality of making the imbibers in-
dulge in a footrace.

In connection with tonight's festi-
vities, one of the largest and most im-
portant reunions of sporting men
ever held in the city is in progress
today. Scores of world-famous pugil-
ists, racing men, professional ath-
letes and baseball players are partici-
pating in the grand gabfest.

For a good job of wood sawing,
call phone 256; gasoline saw.—Seda-
lia Fuel and Feed Co.

THIRD ATTEMPT SUCCESSFUL

University Student, Brooding Over Ill
Health, Takes Life.

Waterville, Kas., Jan. 22.—Following
two unsuccessful attempts to take his
own life with carbolic acid while a
student at the state university at
Lawrence, Gordon Whittemore yester-
day drowned himself in the Little
Blue river near here. His body was
found fifty yards below the place
where his hat was floating when first
seen. Ill health was the cause.

After his second attempt to kill him-
self at Lawrence, Whittemore was
brought here two weeks ago to live
with friends. He was an orphan.

A sack of Big "S" flour contains the
best quality of flour, but no gifts.

DRESS LIKE MOTHER EVE

Models Plan a Ball at Which Statuary
Will Be Imitated.

Milwaukee, Wis., Jan. 22.—Milwan-
kee's strangest costume ball will be
given on February 16.

At this function the only persons
who will be allowed to attend will be
artists and their models.

There will be representations of
famous pictures and bits of statuary.
The atmosphere of the ball-room
will be kept at 80 degrees.

Every day a bargain day at The
Globe Clothing and Shoe store. 145
07 West Main street.

Gold Coin makes white bread.

JAMES J. HILL, OPTIMIST

Says Situation Is Healthy, and
Money Plenty.

New York Jan. 22.—James J.
Hill revealed himself as an optimist
yesterday in the course of an inter-
view on the occasion of his return
from an extensive tour of inspection
of the Great Northern system.
Mr. Hill, who not long ago ex-
pressed fears as to the immediate

commercial future, declared that the
present situation looks health.

"Best of all," he said, "there is
plenty of money in the country.
There has not been so rapid a recov-
ery as some people looked for, but
that is just as well. There was a
good deal of damage done last year
and it takes some time to complete
the work of repair, but it is going on
steadily. There is already some in-
crease in certain kinds of business,
and I look for a healthy revival in
all lines this spring.

"Perhaps the most noteworthy fea-
ture of the situation is the increase
in building operations, particularly
in the west."

Save the pieces of your broken eye-
glasses and take them to Bard, Jew-
eler and Optician.

ONE HUNDRED COUPLES

Attended the Ball of Prairie Queen
Lodge, B. of R. T.

One hundred couples attended the
first annual ball given by Prairie
Queen lodge No. 18, B. of R. T., at
the Liberty park pavilion Thursday
night.

The Second Regiment orchestra
furnished the music, and more than
twenty-five dancing numbers were in-
cluded in, many encores being called
for and responded to.

Eighty-five couples took part in the
grand march, which was led by Roy
Bradfield and sister, Miss Bess.

"After the ball was over" a fine
supper was served by Blatterman &
Rowe in the hall adjoining the
dance hall.

It was after 1 o'clock this morning
when the ball was concluded, and all
the guests returned home, voting the
event one of the most enjoyable
ever had.

Supt. R. B. Hamner, of the street
car company, kindly detained the
cars at the park to carry the throng
to town after the dance.

Instead of putting 5 cents in "Atlas"
flour we knock a dime off the price.
This puts you a nickel ahead.

BIG GASSER IS ON FIRE

Roar From Burning Oklahoma Well
Can Be Heard Many Miles.

Tulsa, Ok., Jan. 22.—Burning with a
roar that can be heard for many
miles, a great gasser on the Howard
Fanchon lease in the Osage country,
six miles northwest of Skiatook, has
been on fire for a week.

Every effort to extinguish the fire
has been a failure. As a last resort a
cannon has been secured and the cas-
ing head of the well will be shot off,
after which it will be capped with an
immense iron hood.

Notice.

We have a large stock of office sup-
plies such as ledgers, journals, cash
books, card index files, ink, pens,
pencils, clips, etc. See our samples
of fine printed and engraved station-
ery. "When quality counts we get
the order."—Thomas & Potter, Sta-
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"A girl will never forgive a man
whom she has jilted," says the Philo-
sopher of Folly, "if he makes a suc-
cess in life."

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NIGHTMARE**

No woman can be happy
without children; it is her
nature to love them as much
so as it is the beautiful and
pure. The ordeal through
which the expectant mother
must pass is so full of dread that the thought fills her with apprehension.
There is no necessity for the reproduction of life to be either very
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women through the crisis
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No. Arr.	Going East.	Depart.
1	12:15...St. L. Exp...	12:20 a.m.
13	2:10 a.m...St. L. Lim...	2:15 a.m.
10	2:35 a.m...St. L. Lim...	2:40 a.m.
22	10:30 a.m...Local Pass...	10:40 a.m.
2	1:00 p.m...St. L. Sp'cl...	1:05 p.m.
8	4:25 p.m...Mail & Exp...	4:30 p.m.
18	9:10 p.m...K. C. Accom.	

East bound local freight departs
from yards at 7:15 a. m.

ONE HUNDRED COUPLES

No. Arr.	Going West.	Depart.
9	1:45 a.m...John Lim...	1:50 a.m.
3	4:00 a.m...Clio. Exp...	4:05 a.m.
11	4:45 a.m...K. C. St J Lim	4:50 a.m.
37Local Pass...	7:15 a.m.
21	2:40 p.m...Local Pass...	2:50 p.m.
1	2:30 p.m...Col & St J Spe	2:35 p.m.

West bound local freight departs
from station at 7:30 a. m.

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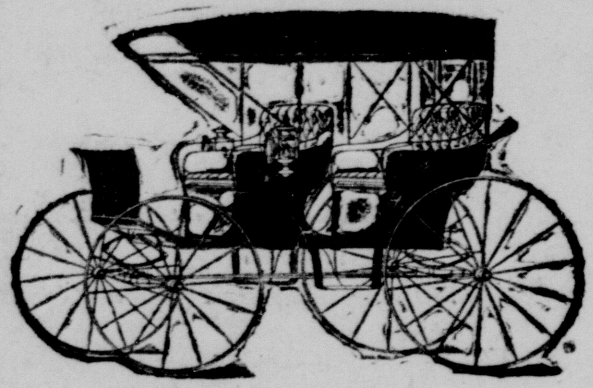
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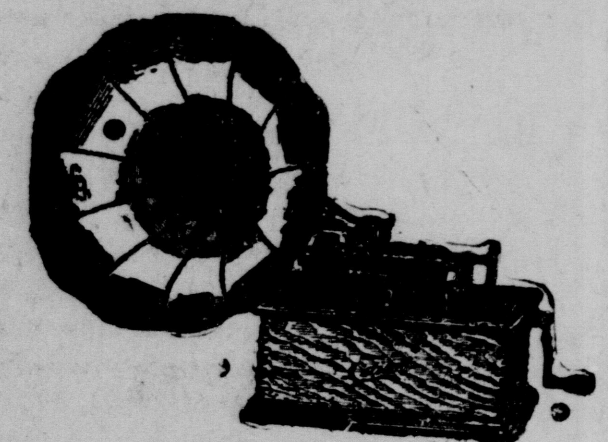
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BENTON COUNTY MURDER

IS RECALLED BY THE FINDING OF J. A. LONG'S GUN IN A HOLLOW LOG.

THIS BRINGS DOUBLE KILLING TO MIND

The Murder of Felix Crawford and Mrs. Winemiller, While the Former Was Visiting at the Residence of the Lattens.

Last Thursday, while out hunting, a Mr. Chilson, of the Peal Bend neighborhood, had a rabbit treed in a hollow log and while trying to twist the rabbit out he accidentally noticed something that seemed to have the appearance of a gun down in the hollow, and after getting it out found it was a No. 10 double-barreled shot gun, loaded with No. 2 shot, with both hammers back, says the Warsaw Times.

After taking it home and telling his neighbors about his find, the gun was identified as one sold to J. A. Long before the murder of Mrs. Winemiller and Felix Crawford near Fairfield on the evening of Saturday, Oct. 20, 1906.

The forearm of the gun was missing, and looked as though it had been badly used. This also led to the belief that it was the gun used by Long, as the forearm of his gun was found in the yard of Mrs. Winemiller a few days after the shooting, which undoubtedly had been broken in the scuffle between Felix Crawford and Long, in which it was stated by Crawford before he died that he had broken Long's gun after throwing him down, which he did after being shot.

The gun answers the description of the one that was bought of Gallaber & Calbert by Long on the evening of the murder.

It is reported that one barrel of the gun was exploded while getting it out of the log. The gun is now in the hands of Sheriff Allen.

This evidence will clear all doubts, in the writer's mind, of Long being dead and buried in Pomme de Terre, as was thought by some, although two different opinions may be taken from the evidence.

One, that Long did not have sense enough to stay away after he had committed the murder, and was himself killed that very evening and buried in the Pomme de Terre river by friends, and his gun found in the log had been concealed there to prevent any evidence of his not being alive, as probably they did not wish to be let known.

The gun being cocked will also help to make believe it belonged to Long, as he evidently was aware of being followed, and had kept his gun ready for use at any moment; but when he struck the thick brush in the Peal Bend he found it would be much easier to get through without the gun, so placed it in the log, making his way through the brush to the river.

Now, is Long dead or alive?

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Williams' Indian Pile Ointment will cure Blind, Bleeding and Itching Piles. It absorbs the tumors, allays itching at once, acts as a poultice, gives instant relief. Williams' Indian Pile Ointment is prepared for Piles and itching of the private parts. Sold by druggists, mail 50c and \$1.00. Williams Mfg. Co., Props., Cleveland, O. For sale by W. E. Bard Drug Co.

Mourning Colors. Black is practically the prevailing color for mourning among Europeans and their kin the world over, but other peoples have other colors—the Chinese white; the Egyptians and Burmese, yellow; the Syrians, sky-blue; the Persians, pale brown; the Turks, violet.—New York American.

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He brought them up out of the sea.—Isaiah.

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Let us prove the proposition to you. Look at the Sealshipt Oysters—they are clear, gray and unbroken. Why? (Examine the Carrier)

Taste of them—they are piquant, tender and juicy. Why? (Examine the Carrier)

Feel of them—they are firm, smooth and clean. Why? (Examine the Carrier)

Smell of them—they carry the delicate, appetizing tang of the sea. Why? (Examine the Carrier)

Look at the ordinary oysters offered for sale—they are white, bloated, ragged. Why? (Examine the Tub)

Taste of them—they are insipid, stale, tough. Why? (Examine the Tub)

Feel of them—they are slimy, limp, flabby. Why? (Examine the Tub)

Smell of them—do they seem altogether fresh and wholesome? Why? (Examine the Tub)

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Called It a "Baby" Dance.

The Kit-Kat Dancing Klub gave an enjoyable monthly dance at the Se-

MEET TO 'DEMAND' WORK

INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION OF THE UNEMPLOYED IN ST. LOUIS, MO.

WAS CALLED BY THE MILLIONAIRE HOBO

"Give Us Work Or We Will Steal" Is the Slogan—What Chairman How Has to Say About the Present Gathering.

St. Louis, Jan. 22.—"Give us work, lest we starve," is the appeal of hundreds of men who are gathered in St. Louis today to participate in an international convention of the unemployed, called by J. Eads How, chairman of the national committee of the unemployed, and familiarly known as "The Millionaire Hobo."

But not all of the delegates to this novel convention are content with an appeal. There is a demand, "Give us work," and if there is any qualification, it is, "or we will steal." Still others, hoboes and gentlemen of leisure by choice, say nothing about work. They are quite content to remain in the army of the unemployed, and any offer of employment would be an insult.

That there are thousands of worthy men in this country who are unable to find work will, however, be abundantly established by the present convention, and as a result of the deliberations during the next three days it is likely that the national and state government will be called upon to provide employment on roads and other public improvements for all such men. Many labor unions will add force to the demand by joining their influence to that of the national committee of the unemployed.

In regard to the present gathering, Chairman How says:

"Realizing that this is going to be a hard winter and that there are all the way from 35,000 to 100,000 men out of employment in all of the large cities of the country, we have decided to hold a convention of delegates from the different centers in St. Louis during the next three days. The object of this convention will be to attempt to secure employment for all those desiring work and to attempt to get transportation for unemployed men to their jobs."

Your shirt orders solicited and appreciated. Mrs. Weidenhold, 416 Ohio.

Called It a "Baby" Dance.

The Kit-Kat Dancing Klub gave an enjoyable monthly dance at the Se-

dalia Printing company hall last night, the event being known as a "baby" dance. There were sixteen dancing numbers and four extras and all had a pleasant time.

Only One "BROMO QUININE" That is LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. Look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. Used the World over to Cure a Cold in One Day. 25c.

A Check, but No Money. R. O. Haines will stand trial in Judge Clark's court on February 8 for giving Abe Potter a check for \$5 on the Blackwater bank when he had no funds in the institution.

"RED SUNDAY" ANNIVERSARY

It Was Observed With Several Meetings of Workmen.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 22.—Today is the fourth anniversary of "The Red Sunday," January 22, 1905, and was observed with several mass meetings of workmen.

The authorities have made preparations to quell rioters, but no serious trouble is expected and the day and night is expected to pass quietly.

Smoke "Little Squaw" Cigars—5c.



Each of the chief organs of the body is a link in the Chain of Life. A chain is no stronger than its weakest link, the body no stronger than its weakest organ. If there is weakness of stomach, liver or lungs, there is a weak link in the chain of life which may snap at any time. Often this so-called "weakness" is caused by lack of nutrition, the result of weakness or disease of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. Diseases and weaknesses of the stomach and its allied organs are cured by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. When the weak or diseased stomach is cured, diseases of other organs which seem remote from the stomach but which have their origin in a diseased condition of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition, are cured also.

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